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COMMON COUNCIL
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CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

Thursday, July 6, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburg, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*.

Mr. Thompson moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

EDWARD B. GLEASON, M. D.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending to-day's meeting of Common Council, on account of sickness in the family.

Very truly yours,
WILMER W. TRINKLE, M. D.

Also, presented the report of the Board of Directors of City Trusts, for the year ending December 31, 1915.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Red Cross, relative to the enrollment of members in said organization.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McCloskey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance compelling all merchants on Second street, south of Girard avenue to Poplar street, to remove all stationary awnings."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to erect twin arc lights on Second street, south from Girard avenue to Poplar street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Second street, from the south side of Girard avenue to Poplar street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Wendover street, from Apple street to Tower street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Borthwick read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Earlham street, from Laurens to Archer street; and Emlen street, from Carpenter street to a point about 350 feet south of Carpenter street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Earlham street, from Laurens to Archer street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Earlham street, from Laurens to Archer street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Earlham street, from Laurens to Archer street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Lenders offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to remove gasoline lamp from rear 3815 Poplar street to rear 3811 Poplar street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an appropriation to pay water bills of the Holmesburg Water Company for water supplied to the Home for the Indigent during the year 1914.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Assistant Clerk of the Municipal Court, relative to certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Court, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from Guilbert & Lewis, Law Stenographers, asking for an appropriation to the Board of Viewers, to pay them for work done for said Board.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, asking for an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, for the year 1916, for marketing.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, relative to improvements to Old City Hall and State House Row Buildings.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916, for advertising."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the

remodelling of and the construction of additions to a Tuberculosis Pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,' approved the twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word 'Callowhill,' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'Fairmount avenue.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1916, for care and purchase of equipment for automobiles."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, Mayor, for the year 1916, for paper, printing, etc."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of the Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings situate on Independence Square; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. G. H. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light in front of 1724 Tasker street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1745 Fernon street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dougherty offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Brandenstein read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Woodlawn street, from Levick to Robbins street; and Levick street, from G to Woodlawn street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company to lay and maintain a railroad track or siding across Gray's Ferry road to connect their tracks west of Thirty-sixth street with property of D. B. Martin & Company on the north side of Gray's Ferry road."

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Etting street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; and Marston street, from Dickinson to Tasker street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Etting and Marston streets, from Dickinson to Tasker street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Etting and Marston streets, from Dickinson to Tasker street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Etting and Marston streets, from Dickinson to Tasker street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bosh read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Brewster avenue, from Eighty-second to Eighty-fifth street, in the Fortieth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Laycock avenue, from Eighty-fifth to Ninetieth street; Holstein avenue, from Eighty-first to Eighty-second street; Eighty-sixth street, from Guyers avenue to Lyons avenue; and Eighty-third street, from Holstein avenue to Lesser avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Madison avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-first street; and Botanic avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Ninetieth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Walker street, from end of present sewer to Cottman street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-first Ward: Glenview street, from Algard street to Frankford avenue; Knorr street, from Cottage street to Frankford avenue; Erdrick street, from Unruh to Tyson street; and Algard street, from Unruh to Longshore street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave the unimproved portion of Tyson street, from curb to curb, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to surface Edmund street, from Tyson to Knorr street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the use and sale of gas pipe or other attachments to gas fixtures within the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Siegert read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan certain plots of ground, with improvements thereon, situate in the Forty-second Ward, for park and playground purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open C street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ogontz avenue, from Sixty-sixth avenue to Washington lane, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the erection of a temporary sewage pumping station at Sixty-seventh and Ogontz avenues."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. F. Schwarz, Jr., read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Thompson street, from Wheatsheaf lane to the unopened portion north, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Venango street, from Balfour street

to the Delaware river; and Thompson street, from Wheat-sheaf lane to the unopened portion.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Barnes read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Baltimore avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gillespie offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear of 1523 Ingersoll street, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Sheehan read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Women's Hospital, Inc., to lay certain piping diagonally under and across Seybert street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Women's Hospital, Inc., to construct a vault under the pavement of Seybert street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan approved July 29, 1916, for payment of claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act." (*Appendix No. 1.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, and the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for and improvement of the Parkway." (*Appendix No. 2.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make

an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 3.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, to pay mandamus, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916." (*Appendix No. 4.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property, out of loan authorized and approved June 29, 1916, for alterations and improvements, City Hall." (*Appendix No. 5.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety and Public Works, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 6.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make certain expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money." (*Appendix No. 7.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (*Appendix No. 8.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for the purchase of automobile trucks." (*Appendix No. 9.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan certain plots of ground, with improvements thereon, situate in the Thirty-fourth Ward, for park and playground purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation." (*Appendix No. 10.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for temporary draftsmen." (*Appendix No. 11.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground situate on the northwest side of Hunting Park avenue, six hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches northeast of Wissahickon avenue, for police and fire house purposes." (*Appendix No. 12.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating certain lots or pieces of ground, in the Fortieth Ward, for sewage disposal purposes, and providing for payment of the cost of same." (*Appendix No. 13.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place

on the City plan and condemn a certain plot of ground, in the Thirty-ninth Ward, for a public playground, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation." (*Appendix No. 14.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved June 21, 1916, to authorize the purchase for park purposes of a plot of ground bounded by Buckins, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets." (*Appendix No. 15.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan and condemn a plot of ground at Southampton avenue and Anderson street, in the Twenty-second Ward, for a public park and playground, for the health and enjoyment of the people, and to place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation." (*Appendix No. 16.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement and development of certain small parks and recreation centers." (*Appendix No. 17.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay bills incurred for material and supplies and for services, personal and other than personal, by the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, Receiver of Taxes, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, and Clerks of Councils." (*Appendix No. 18.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for the purchase of materials and supplies, for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages, salaries and miscellaneous expenses; the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement, and other expenses of City Property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health, and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions and institutions for the insane, to the Departments of City Commissioners, City Treasurer, City Solicitor, City Controller, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Board of Recreation, Mayor, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Inspectors of the County Prisons, Receiver of Taxes, Recorder of Deeds, and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 19.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the active depositories of City funds." (*Appendix No. 20.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the selection of four banks, or depositories, in which the active account of the City shall be kept." (*Appendix No. 21.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of four million nine hundred and

twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (4,925,901) dollars to the Department of Law, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes." (*Appendix No. 22.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Watkins street, from Tenth to Eleventh street." (*Appendix No. 23.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street." (*Appendix No. 24.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Springfield avenue, from Sixtieth street to Cobb's Creek Parkway." (*Appendix No. 25.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom." (*Appendix No. 26.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Somerville avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Ella street." (*Appendix No. 27.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Beaumont street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cobb's Creek Parkway." (*Appendix No. 28.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Germantown avenue to its full width, from Mermaid lane to Moreland avenue." (*Appendix No. 29.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Laurel street." (*Appendix No. 30.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Sixty-sixth street." (*Appendix No. 31.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Regent street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue." (*Appendix No. 32.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Twentieth street, including the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue." (*Appendix No. 33.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend Ordinance approved October 2, 1914, to authorize the

opening of Lexington and Winchester avenues." (*Appendix No. 34.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Curtin street, from Sixteenth to Nineteenth street." (*Appendix No. 35.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to open Haines street, from Old York road to Sixteenth street." (*Appendix No. 36.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Eighteenth street, from the center line of Johnston street to the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue, Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Eighteenth street, and the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue." (*Appendix No. 37.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wheatsheaf lane." (*Appendix No. 38.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue." (*Appendix No. 39.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Moyamensing avenue to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania

Railroad Company's property east of Twentieth street." (*Appendix No. 40.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sixty-sixth avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street." (*Appendix No. 41.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Lindley avenue, from Third street to Fourth street." (*Appendix No. 42.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kingsessing avenue, from Fifty-eighth street to Salford street." (*Appendix No. 43.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street, from Graver's lane to Hartwell lane." (*Appendix No. 44.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Packer street, from Broad street to west line of Twentieth street produced from the north, intersected with west line of Uber street produced from the south, including intersection of Packer street and Moyamensing avenue." (*Appendix No. 45.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Warren street, from Fifty-third street to Lansdowne avenue." (*Appendix No. 46.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street." (*Appendix No. 47.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street." (*Appendix No. 48.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street." (*Appendix No. 49.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Chalmers avenue, from Somerset street to Indiana street." (*Appendix No. 50.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue." (*Appendix No. 51.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue." (*Appendix No. 52.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street." (*Appendix No. 53.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Colorado street to Moyamensing avenue." (*Appendix No. 54.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance passed November 4, 1915, authorizing the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street." (*Appendix No. 55.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Tenth street, from Medary avenue to Godfrey avenue." (*Appendix No. 56.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Broad street, from Fracker street to Cheltenham avenue." (*Appendix No. 57.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Daggett street, from Race street to Vine street." (*Appendix No. 58.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mascher street, from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue." (*Appendix No. 59.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of O street, from the south side of Hunt-

ing Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue." (*Appendix No. 60.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wingohocking street, from Broad street to Old York road." (*Appendix No. 61.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Annsbury street, from Bodine street to Wingohocking street." (*Appendix No. 62.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of North Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchens lane." (*Appendix No. 63.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Sixty-ninth street." (*Appendix No. 64.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dearnley street, from Ridge avenue to Fowler street." (*Appendix No. 65.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue." (*Appendix No. 66.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to author-

ize the widening of Thirteenth street, between Chestnut street and Clover street." (*Appendix No. 67.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Fifth to Seventh street." (*Appendix No. 68.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street." (*Appendix No. 69.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (*Appendix No. 70.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Harvey street, from Main street to Cresson street." (*Appendix No. 71.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Thirty-second street, from Tasker street to the middle of Jackson street." (*Appendix No. 72.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Summit avenue, from Ridge avenue to Shalkop street." (*Appendix No. 73.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Sansom street,

from Fifty-fifth street to Fifty-sixth street." (*Appendix No. 74.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Henry avenue, from Walnut lane to Roxborough avenue." (*Appendix No. 75.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Hermit street, from Daniel street to Wissahickon avenue." (*Appendix No. 76.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to open, to its full width, Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth street to Twenty-fifth street." (*Appendix No. 77.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Houghton street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane." (*Appendix No. 78.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements." (*Appendix No. 79.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repave certain streets." (*Appendix No. 80.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to author-

ize the grading and paving of Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue." (*Appendix No. 81.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curb and lay footway pavements." (*Appendix No. 82.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads." (*Appendix No. 83.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of Frankford avenue, State road or Tacony street, and providing for certain payments by the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company and the filing of a bond." (*Appendix No. 84.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of A, Ainslie, Airdrie, Albanus, Algard, Allman, Almond, Apsley, Arch, Ardleigh, Ashdale, Atlantic, Bambrey, Beaumont, Beechwood, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Bigler, Boyer, Broad, Bowman, Camac, Carlisle, Chancellor, Chatham, Chew, Church, Clearfield, Cleveland, Collins, Colonial, Colorado, Cottman, Courtland, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Darien, Devereaux, Dorcas, Dunlap, Earllham, Edgemont, Edgewood, Ella, Ellsworth, Erdrick, Euclid, Eighteenth, Eighty-eighth, Fairhill, Felton, Franklin, Fifth, Fifteenth, Fifty-third, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Garfield, Glenview, Gerry, Grange, Gratz, Haddington, Hedley, Herbert, Hicks, Hope, Howard, Hutchinson, Hilton, I, Irving, Isenminger, Jauney, Jefferson, Johnston, Knorr, Keim, Lawnton,

Litchfield, Livingstone, Louden, Logan, Ludlow, Luray, Madison, Malta, Marshall, Martha, Mathias, McCallum, Mentor, Mildred, Monmouth, Morris, Morse, Myrtlewood, Nassau, Norwood, Northumberland, Opal, Oxford, Palethorp, Peach, Pechin, Pentridge, Pike, Pollock, Pratt, Prentice, Raud, Regent, Ruby, Ruscomb, Sartain, Sheridan, Simpson, Smedley, Sprague, St. Vincent, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-eighth, Seventy-second, Spencer, Third, Thompson, Tenth, Thirteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Umbria, Walker, Warnock, Water, Webster, Weikel, Wilt, Willard, Woodlawn and Woodstock streets; Abington, Abbottsford, Adams, Arlington, Bellfield, Champlost, Chelten, Chester, Clarkson, Columbia, Eastwick, Eastburn, Florence, Greenway, Kingsessing, Lansdowne, Lebanon, Mt. Pleasant, Malvern, Monastery, Montgomery, Nedro, Osage, Park, Parker, Point Breeze, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Somerville, Warrington, Willow Grove, Wyncote and Wyoming avenues; Fernhill, Marlyn and York roads; Limekiln pike, Hermit lane, Walnut lane, Erringer Place, Cobb's Creek Parkway, Asbury Terrace and Cresheim Valley Drive." (*Appendix No. 85.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to pave certain streets." (*Appendix No. 86.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in A, Aikens, Albanus, Allman, American, Anderson, Apsley, Arch, Ashdale, Atlantic, B, Bancroft, Beaumont, Beechwood, Benezet, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Blavis, Braddock, Bristol, Broad, Camae, Carlisle, Catharine, Chancellor, Chew, Cliveden, Crispin, Coulter, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Delphine, Duulap, Earlham, Edmund, Ella, Emily, Enclid, Eighth, Eleventh, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Felton, Fernon, Franklin, Front, Fourth, Forty-

ninth, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Galloway, Garfield, Gaul, Gerry, Gratz, Greenwich, Gross, Haddington, Haines, Hamilton, Hermit, Hilton, Hicks, Hope, Houghton, Hutchinson, Ionic, I. Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Juniper, Keim, Kenyon, Lawrence, Lee, Litchfield, Loudon, Ludlow, Luray, Luzerne, McClellan, Marshall, Marvine, Melon, Mentor, Mercy, Mifflin, Mildred, Mitchell, Monmouth, Montgomery, Morris, Morse, Mountain, Myrtlewood, Ninth, Norwood, Olive, Palethorp, Pechin, Penn, Pentridge, Philip, Pickwick, Pike, Plum, Poplar, Porter, Pratt, Prentice, Price, Princeton, Rector, Regent, Reno, Romain, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sartain, Sedgwick, Simpson, Shawnee, Sheridan, Smedley, Stewart, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-eighth, Tower, Thirteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-second, Vaux, Willard, Warnock, Weikel, Wilt, Wingohocking, Woodlawn, Woodstock and Yocum streets; Abington, Abbotsford, Arlington, The Boulevard, Cemetery, Cheltenham, Chester, Duncannon, Eastburn, Florence, Germantown, Godfrey, Grange, Kensington, Lancaster, McKean, Malvern, Monastery, Mt. Pleasant, Nedro, Ogontz, Oregon, Osage, Park, Point Breeze, Roxborough, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Snyder, Stenton, Susquehanna, Torresdale, Warrington, Wissahickon, Wyneote and Wyoming avenues; East School House, Hartwell, Indian Queen, Thorp's, Walnut, Washington lanes; McKean and University Parkways, Fernhill road, Erringer Place and Asbury Terrace." (*Appendix No. 87.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street." (*Appendix No. 88.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to author-

ize the vacation of Old Second Street road, from the south side of Porter street to the south side of Vollmer street." (*Appendix No. 89.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the vacation of Grubtown road, from Fairhill street and Olney avenue to Fifth and Chew streets." (*Appendix No. 90.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grade of the northeast curb of Frankford avenue, from Ruan street to a point two hundred and fifty feet northeast of Church street." (*Appendix No. 91.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grade of City avenue, from Golf road to Conshohocken avenue, and the lines and grades of Fiftieth street, from City avenue to Woodbine avenue, with the necessary revision of grades of streets adjacent thereto." (*Appendix No. 92.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Kirkbride's Park, in the Twenty-fourth and Forty-fourth Wards." (*Appendix No. 93.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 152, bounded by Mount Moriah Cemetery, Cemetery avenue, Kingessing avenue, Baltimore and Philadelphia Railroad and Cobb's Creek, and to place upon the City plan an addition to Cobb's Creek Park at

the southeast corner of Sixty-fifth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway." (*Appendix No. 94.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of bridges on lines of South street, Forty-ninth street, Ashburner street, Linden avenue, Convent lane, Fifth street, Harvey street, and Mount Airy avenue, and a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway (two bridges), and to authorize the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel; providing for carrying into effect such authority and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property." (*Appendix No. 95.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan American, Atlantic, Beaumont, Beulah, Brill, Carlisle, Chew, Clearview, Connaroe, Ella, Fifteenth, Hicks, Litchfield, Mildred and Rodman streets; Abbottsford, Verree and Worthington roads." (*Appendix No. 96.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in B street, Eleventh street, Everett street, Fifth street, Fifty-first street, intercepting sewer through Fortieth Ward, Indian Creek storm sewer, Mifflin street, Pratt street, Rock Run in Godfrey avenue, Rock Run in Ashdale street, Sanger street, Sanger street outlet, Walker street, Knorr street, Twenty-ninth street relief, Wingohocking sewer, Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer." (*Appendix No. 97.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint additional members on the Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in the different districts of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 98.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Mathay offered the following, to wit: "Resolution accepting the challenge of the Councils of the City of Baltimore to a series of games of baseball, and authorizing the appointment of a Joint Committee to make the necessary arrangements." (*Appendix No. 99.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Mathay (*Ch'n*), Conn, Baizley, Trinkle and F. Schwarz, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 206, Vol. I*) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Transit out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to be used toward the construction and improvement of subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways and other transit facilities, and the payment of interest and sinking fund charges."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out Items Nos. "180" to "187" inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof "210" to "217" inclusive.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburg, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 207, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the

construction and improvement of wharves and docks, including the acquisition of land upon which to erect them, the construction of bulkheads, and for the reclamation of land to be used for the construction of wharves and docks; and the payment of sinking fund and interest charges."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read,

Also, moved to amend by substituting for "Item No. 180" the words and figures "Item No. 210."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburg, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 208, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, approved June 29, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend under "Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, Item 193 (loan)," by striking out the word "construction," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "continuation."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 209, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (+2,450,797) dollar loan, approved June 29, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend under "Bureau of Police" by striking out the words "subject to future legislation by Councils," and under "Bureau of Fire" the words "subject to future legislation by Councils."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith,

R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 210, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of land, erection, construction and equipment of the Philadelphia General Hospital, Hospital for the Insane, Home for Indigent Women, and other buildings under the supervision of the Department."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith,

R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 211, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection of a Convention Hall, supplementing money borrowed under an ordinance approved June 19, 1911."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 212, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection and construction of the main building of the Free Library."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 213, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection of an Art Museum, and to authorize the Commissioners to enter into a contract for the construction thereof."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 214, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, out of loan approved June 29, 1916,

to pay for property taken and to be taken for Fairmount and other parks."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 215, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, for the improvement, development and equipment of playgrounds and recreation centers."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 216, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction and improvement of certain subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways and other transit facilities, as hereinafter set forth in detail, and providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund charges thereon."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosh, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 217, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Cherry street, Delaware river; the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Kenilworth street, Delaware river; the construction of a wharf and adjacent docks at or near the foot of Porter street, Delaware river; improving and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Penn Treaty Park; improving and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Allegheny avenue, Delaware river; improving

and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Bridge street, Delaware river; completion of wharf and docks known as Pier No. 78 South, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of all of the said wharves and docks; the construction of bulkheads on the Schuylkill river; and providing for the cost of same and the payment of sinking fund and interest charges out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916; and providing for carrying into effect such authority."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out "Item 180" and inserting in lieu thereof "Item 210."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes,

C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 218, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the condemnation of properties located along the Delaware river, at the foot of Wolf, Ritten and Porter streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward; at the foot of Kenilworth street, in the Fourth Ward; and east of Delaware avenue, between Arch and Race streets, in the Sixth Ward, for the construction of new wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out "Item 180" and inserting in lieu thereof "Item 210."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Cos-

tello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 219, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, out of the item of eight million nine hundred and forty thousand one hundred and twenty (\$8,940,120) dollars, toward the removal of grade crossings in South Philadelphia, included in the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Cos-

tello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 220, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance allotting the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Water, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, and authorizing the letting of contracts and the employment of necessary assistant engineers and inspectors."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gil-

lespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams. Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 221, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn seven tracts of ground, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, for additions to the tracts now owned by the City of Philadelphia, to be used for a home for the indigent and hospital for the insane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le

Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 222, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a tract of ground in the Forty-fifth Ward for sewage disposal purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney,

Meekert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 223, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the work necessary for the construction and installation of sewerage system of the Frankford creek area, for the erection and construction of sewerage disposal plants, and providing for carrying of said authorization into effect."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

Also, moved to amend by inserting at end of bill the following: "Section 4. The expenditures authorized in this ordinance shall be charged against Item 196 (Loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys)."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams. Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 224, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of the bond of the William Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Building Company, in lieu of the bond given under the ordinance approved the 26th day of June, 1912, by the William Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Building Company, principal, and the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company as surety, to indemnify the City from damages by reason of the striking from the plan of the City and vacation of a portion of Dyott street, and authorizing and directing the release of the said surety therein."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Prest*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 226, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, City Commissioners, Inspectors of County Prisons, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams. Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 147, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Apsley and Berkeley streets, from Pulaski avenue to Morris street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

* The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie,

Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 167, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Lawrence street, from Olney avenue to Grange street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds,

Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 197, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Frederick H. Straub to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of his property, 2806 Germantown avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 199, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct and maintain a terra cotta duct under and across Hope street, north of York street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 227, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Nedro avenue, from Kemble avenue to Cheltenham and Willow Grove pike."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 228, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sixteenth street, from Olney avenue to Nedro avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 229, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Fifteenth street, from Nedro avenue to Champlost avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 230, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bellfield avenue, from Broad street to Old York road."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Cos-

tello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 231, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving and repaving of Richmond street, Venango street and Point Breeze avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds,

Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 232, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 171, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades, and the establishment of new streets, parkways, parking places, and parks over certain territory, comprising City Plans Nos. 252, 261, 299, 297 and 295, bounded by Roxborough avenue, Ridge avenue, Port Royal avenue, Hagv street, County Line, and the Wissahickon creek, in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Wards of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 173, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revisions of portions of City Plans Nos. 231 and 275, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Common Council resumed consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 105, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain two sidings from its tracks on Thirtieth street to connect with property of Morris Wheeler & Company, on the east side of Thirtieth street, south of Walnut street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Buroh, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, resumed consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 106, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company

to lay, maintain and operate a railroad siding or track on Hancock street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 121, Vol. I) annexed, entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of plot of ground situated in the Sixteenth Ward, from the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 1) entitled "Resolution of request to His Honor, the Mayor, to return to Select Council Select Council Appendix No. 96 (Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance to grant permission to the Schuylkill River East Side Railroad Company (Baltimore and

Ohio Railroad Company) to relocate their tracks along Oregon avenue, from Broad street to Delaware avenue.' ”

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 2) entitled “Resolution of request to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting) to relocate a gasoline lamp in the Thirtieth Ward.”

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street.” (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Lawrence street, from Olney avenue to Grange street.” (Appendix No. 167, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to permit Frederick H. Straub to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of his property, 2806 Germantown avenue.” (Appendix No. 197, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct and maintain a terra cotta duct under and across Hope street, north of York street.” (Appendix No. 199, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Transit out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan, author-

ized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to be used toward the construction and improvement of subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways and other transit facilities, and the payment of interest and sinking fund charges." (Appendix No. 206, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the construction and improvement of wharves and docks, including the acquisition of land upon which to erect them, the construction of bulkheads, and for the reclamation of land to be used for the construction of wharves and docks; and the payment of sinking fund and interest charges." (Appendix No. 207, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, approved June 29, 1916." (Appendix No. 208, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven thousand (42,450,797) dollar loan, approved June 29, 1916." (Appendix No. 209, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of land, erection, construction and equipment of the Philadelphia General Hospital, Hospital for the Insane, Home for Indigent Women, and other buildings under the supervision of the Department." (Appendix No. 210, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection of a Convention Hall, supplementing money borrowed under an ordinance approved June 19, 1911." (Appendix No. 211, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection and construction of the main building of the Free Library." (Appendix No. 212, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the erection of an Art Museum, and to authorize the Commissioners to enter into a contract for the construction thereof." (Appendix No. 213, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, to pay for property taken and to be taken for Fairmount and other parks." (Appendix No. 214, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, for the improvement, development and equipment of playgrounds and recreation centers." (Appendix No. 215, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction and improvement of certain subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways and other transit facilities, as hereinafter set forth in detail, and providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund charges thereon." (Appendix No. 216, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Cherry street, Delaware river; the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Kenilworth street, Delaware river; the construction of a wharf and adjacent docks at or near the foot of Porter street, Delaware river; improving and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Penn Treaty Park; improving and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Allegheny avenue, Delaware river; improving and enlarging the wharf and docks owned by the City at Bridge street, Delaware river; completion of wharf and docks known as Pier No. 78 South, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the

completion of all of the said wharves and docks; the construction of bulkheads on the Schuylkill river; and providing for the cost of same and the payment of sinking fund and interest charges out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (67,100,000) dollar loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916; and providing for carrying into effect such authority." (Appendix No. 217, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the condemnation of properties located along the Delaware river, at the foot of Wolf, Ritner and Porter streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward; at the foot of Kenilworth street, in the Fourth Ward; and east of Delaware avenue, between Arch and Race streets, in the Sixth Ward, for the construction of new wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916." (Appendix No. 218, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, out of the item of eight million nine hundred and forty thousand one hundred and twenty (8,940,120) dollars, toward the removal of grade crossings in South Philadelphia, included in the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916." (Appendix No. 219, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance allotting the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Water, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, and authorizing the letting of contracts and the employment of necessary assistant engineers and inspectors." (Appendix No. 220, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to condemn seven tracts of ground, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, for additions to the tracts now owned by the City of Philadelphia, to be used for a home for the indigent and hospital for the insane." (Appendix No. 221, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a tract of ground in the Forty-fifth Ward for sewage disposal purposes." (Appendix No. 222, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the work necessary for the construction and installation of sewerage system of the Frankford creek area, for the erection and construction of sewage disposal plants, and providing for carrying of said authorization into effect." (Appendix No. 223, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of the bond of the William Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Building Company in lieu of the bond given under the ordinance approved the 26th day of June, 1912, by the William Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Building Company, principal, and the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company as surety, to indemnify the City from damages by reason of the striking from the plan of the City and vacation of a portion of Dyott street, and authorizing and directing the release of the said surety therein." (Appendix No. 224, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation." (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, City Commissioners, Inspectors of County Prisons, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 226, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving and repaving of Richmond street, Venango street and Point Breeze avenue." (Appendix No. 231, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets." (Appendix No. 232, Vol. I.)

"Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint members of the Commission to consider and recommend regula-

tions and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in the different districts of Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 98.)

"Resolution accepting the challenge of the Councils of the City of Baltimore to a series of games of baseball and authorizing the appointment of a Joint Committee to make the necessary arrangement." (Appendix No. 99.)

And that the President had appointed Messrs. Crawford, Flaherty, Ryan, McKinley and Mackleer the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Mr. Siegert moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, July 20, 1916. 1 P. M.

Common Council met, in pursuance of the following call:

Philadelphia, July 18, 1916.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Thursday, July 20, 1916, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD B. GLEASON,

President.

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Members present:

Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Sowers moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, July 14, 1916.

DEAR DR. GLEASON:—Owing to absence from City with Pennsylvania Naval Militia, it will be impossible for me to attend next meeting of Common Council.

Fraternally yours,

H. M. RIGHTER.

Also, presented a communication from the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, forwarding semi-annual statement showing bonds executed by the said company in favor of the City, between January 1 and July 1, 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from Judge Raymond MacNeille relative to roping off the highways of the City at certain hours of the day for playgrounds for children.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication from Michael S. Bennett, D.D. S., protesting against the treatment of the Philadelphia volunteers in Mexico, and requesting the appointment of a committee to investigate the conditions.

Which was read, and referred to the Joint Special Committee on Soldiers' Relief.

Mr. Baldi offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 809 Washington avenue, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Remig offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1328 Webster street, in the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Dance read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Race and Vine streets, from Broad street west as far as streets are open, in the Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Williams read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Eyre street, between Girard avenue and Wildey street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Lamberton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Crowson street, from Locust avenue to Woodlawn street, in the Twenty-second Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Levis read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Bridge street, from Willow to Charles street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the County Commissioners, relative to an appropriation to the Registration Commissioners for the payment of necessary clerk hire, due to the handling of applications for appointment as registrars.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond, dated June 30, 1914, of William H. Murphy, Chief of the Bureau of Fire."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a petition of the engineers at the House of Correction, requesting an increase in their salaries.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the payment of an attorney

fee for services rendered in legal proceedings known as the filtration case."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. G. H. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance amending an ordinance, approved July 20, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dougherty offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open B street, from Allegheny avenue to Westmoreland street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of City avenue, from west limit of Morris Park to Cobb's creek, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Watts street, from Wolf to Jackson street, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bosch offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Costello read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-first Ward: Hegerman street, from Vincent to Cottman street; and State road, from Vincent street to Princeton avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Siegert offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

improve as a country road Bellfield avenue, from Sixteenth to Penn street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Burch read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Ellsworth street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the remodelling of and the construction of additions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital." (*Appendix No. 100.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,' approved the twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word 'Callowhill' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'Fairmount avenue.'" (*Appendix No. 101.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance." (*Appendix No. 102.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An

Ordinance to permit the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct a bridge over and across Allegheny avenue, east of Nineteenth street." (*Appendix No. 103.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain steam and compressed air pipes under and across Wissahickon avenue, north of Bristol street." (*Appendix No. 104.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan." (*Appendix No. 105.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in Bigler street and Packer street." (*Appendix No. 106.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the continuation of the Cobb's creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street and connections thereto." (*Appendix No. 107.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue." (*Appendix No. 108.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Public

Works (Bureau of City Property) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against Item 62 (loan), for the additional work for the improvement of Logan Square and the improvement of Franklin Square, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 109.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Danee, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of the Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings,

situated on Independence Square, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 110.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to pay one-half of the expense of rebuilding wall in front of the United States Arsenal on Bridge street, between the west gate and bridge over Frankford creek, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 111.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the drawing and countersigning of warrants in payment of salaries of certain employees now in the service of the United States Government, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 112.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,
And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the purchase of an automobile for the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 113.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg,

Gray, Halm, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shèehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of City Property to replace the automobile used by him by making an exchange of said automobile in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile." (*Appendix No. 114.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in different districts of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 115.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 83, Vol. I*) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street.'" (*Appendix No. 116.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation.'"
(*Appendix No. 117.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 1) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for payment of claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List,

Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 2) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, and the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for and improvement of the Parkway."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 3) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 4) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer to pay mandamuses, out of the forty-two million four hundred and

fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding at end thereof the following: "Nor to pay for property taken for the Parkway which shall be chargeable to the item for that purpose in the appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 5) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for alterations and improvements, City Hall."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't* —66.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 6) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations

to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, and City Commissioners, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the words "Public Safety," second line, page 10, the words "Electrical Bureau;" further amend by striking out the words and figures "thirty thousand (30,000) dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (22,893) dollars and eleven (11) cents."

Further amend by inserting after the words and figures "five hundred and forty (540) dollars" the following: "from Item 5 (b) salaries, six hundred (600) dollars."

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "thirty thousand dollars.....30,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-three thousand four hundred and ninety-three dollars and eleven cents.....23,493.11."

Further amend by adding at end of section the following:

"SECTION 2. Out of the unappropriated balance for the year 1916, the following amounts are hereby appropriated:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 16 (c). Additional construction gang, two thousand seven hundred and seventy- four dollars	\$2,774
Item 20. Alterations and improvements, power plant, City Hall, seven thousand one hundred and six dollars and eighty-nine cents	7,106 89
Item 21. Electrical installation work, com- bination fire and police station, Twenty- second and Erie avenue, two thousand dollars	2,000

Item 22. Alterations and improvements, Supreme and Superior Court rooms and offices, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500
Item 23. To pay bill of Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, fire box plates, thirty dollars	30

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 1½. To pay bill of Martin H. Walrath, millwork and appurtenances (1912), nine hundred and ninety dollars and four cents	\$990 04
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BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 27. Repairs, alterations, repainting, rebuilding cases and shelving, Supreme and Superior Court rooms and offices, two thousand dollars	2,000
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 6 (p). Automobile hire, six hundred dollars	\$600
Item 38. To pay bills of Joseph L. Shoemaker & Company, rostrums, tables, chairs, desks and steel lockers, two thousand two hundred and eighty-three (2,283) dollars, and of Michael J. Heavey, for furniture, carpets and drapery, two thousand one hundred and eighty-two (2,182) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; total, four thousand four hundred and sixty-five dollars and seventy-eight cents.....	4,465 78
Item 39. Furniture, furnishings, filing cases, lockers, cleaning of and repairs to hangings, tapestries, etc., for Supreme and Superior	

Court rooms and offices, four thousand
dollars 4,000"

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend so that the same shall read: "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations and to make additional appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works and City Commissioners, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 7) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make certain expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 8) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 9) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for the purchase of automobile trucks."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein,

Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 11) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for temporary draftsmen."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith,

Sowers. Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also. moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 12) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground, situate on the northwest side of Hunting Park avenue six hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches northeast of Wissahickon avenue, for police and fire house purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 13) entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating certain lots or pieces of ground in the Fortieth Ward for sewage disposal purposes and providing for payment of the cost of same."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law. and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 15) entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved June 21, 1916, to authorize

the purchase for park purposes of a plot of ground bounded by Buckius, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 17) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement and development of certain small parks and recreation centers."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 18) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay bills incurred for material and supplies and for services, personal and other than personal, by the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, Receiver of Taxes, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, and Clerks of Councils."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 19) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for the purchase of materials and supplies; for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages; salaries and miscellaneous expenses; the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement and other expenses of City property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions and institutions for the insane, to the Departments of City Commissioners, City Treasurer, City Solicitor, City Controller, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Board of Recreation, Mayor, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Inspectors of the County Prisons, Receiver of Taxes,

Recorder of Deeds, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and District Attorney, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend page 74, Item 6 (d), by striking out the words "parole officer for male convicts, 200; parole officer for female convicts, 100," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred (200) dollars."

Page 75, Item 19, amend by striking out "1,300 divisions for 3 days, at \$5 per day, twenty thousand four hundred and eighty dollars.....\$20,480," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "nineteen thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars.....19,980."

Page 76, amend by striking out all of Item 32 (b), and changing the total for City Commissioners accordingly.

Page 79, amend by transferring Item 22 (b), from Bureau of Fire, to page 81, after Item 21, Bureau of Police, and altering the Bureau totals accordingly.

Page 82, Item 6 (b), amend by striking out the words and figures "eleven thousand seven hundred and twenty-six dollars.....11,726," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "nine thousand dollars.....9,000;" Item 8 (b), by striking out the words and figures "eleven thousand dollars.....11,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten thousand dollars.....10,000;" and by inserting after Item 16 (b) the following:

"Item 16 (e), (200 loan), additional construction gang, three thousand seven hundred and twenty-six dollars.....3,726."

Page 82, Item 2 (a), amend by striking out the words and figures "five hundred and fifty dollars.....550," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and twenty-five dollars.....125."

Page 83, Item 4, amend by striking out the words and figures "four thousand four hundred dollars.....4,400," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and fig-

ures "four thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars.....4,825."

Page 83, amend by striking out all of Item 5 (a), and changing the Bureau total accordingly.

Page 84, amend total for Department of Public Safety, so that the same shall be "one million seven hundred and seventy-seven thousand and thirty-nine dollars.....\$1,777,039."

On same page, amend Item 2 (d), by striking out the words "Printing and binding, special and miscellaneous supplies, two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

Page 89, amend by inserting after Item 52 (200 loan), the following:

"Item 53 (200 loan), repairs to wood block paving, ten thousand dollars.....10,000" and changing total for Bureau accordingly.

Page 91, amend by striking out all of Item 18 (b), and changing total for Bureau accordingly.

Page 92, amend total for Department so that the same shall be "six hundred and fifty-three thousand one hundred and seventy-three dollars and fourteen cents.....\$653,173.14."

Page 93, Item 12 (a), amend by striking out the words and figures "twenty thousand dollars.....20,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve thousand two hundred and forty dollars.....12,240."

Page 94, Item 17 (b), amend by striking out the words and figures "five thousand dollars.....5,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three thousand dollars.....3,000," and by changing Departmental and Bureau totals accordingly.

Page 109, amend by striking out last line on page.

Page 110, amend by adding at end of section the following:

“CLERKS OF COUNCILS.

“Item 10 (200 loan), to pay salaries and wages of men substituting for employees while in the service of the National Guards of Pennsylvania or the United States Government, ten thousand dollars.....10,000.

“*Provided*, The Clerks of Councils are authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against this item upon proper certification from the Departments or Bureaus wherein such substitutes are employed, and the approval of said certifications by the Committee of Select and Common Councils having charge of the disbursements of the fund to relieve families of Philadelphians in the army or navy of the United States Government.”

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by adding after the words “District Attorney,” the words “and Clerks of Councils.”

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Loek, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A.

Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason. *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 20) entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the active depositories of City funds."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason. *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 21) entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the selection of four banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asuip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 22) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of four million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (\$4,925,901) dollars to the Department of Law, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (\$42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay for damages

for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 87) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in A, Aikens, Albanus, Allman, American, Anderson, Apsley, Arch, Ashdale, Atlantic, B, Bancroft, Beaumont, Beechwood, Benezet, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Blavis, Braddock, Bristol, Broad, Camac, Carlisle, Catharine, Chancellor, Chew, Cliveden, Crispin, Cornwall, Coulter, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Delphine, Dunlap, Earlham, Edmund, Ella, Emily, Euclid, Eighth, Eleventh, Eighteenth, Fair-

hill, Felton, Fernon, Franklin, Front, Fourth, Forty-ninth, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh; Fifty-ninth, Galloway, Garfield, Gaul, Gerry, Gratz, Greenwich, Gross, Haddington, Haines, Hamilton, Hermit, Hilton, Hicks, Hope, Houghton, Hutchinson, Ionic, I. Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Juniper, Keim, Kenyon, Lawrence, Lee, Litchfield, Loudon, Ludlow, Luray, Luzerne, McClellan, Marshall, Marvine, Melon, Mentor, Mercy, Mifflin, Mildred, Mitchell, Monmouth, Montgomery, Morris, Morse, Mountain, Myrtlewood, Ninth, Norwood, Olive, Palethorp, Pechin, Penn, Pentridge, Philip, Pickwick, Pike, Plum, Poplar, Porter, Pratt, Prentice, Price, Princeton, Rector, Regent, Reno, Romain, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sartain, Sedgwick, Simpson, Shawnee, Sheridan, Smedley, Stewart, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-eighth, Tower, Thirteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-second, Vaux, Willard, Warnock, Weikel, Wilt, Wingohocking, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Yocum streets; Abington, Abbotsford, Arlington, The Boulevard, Cemetery, Cheltenham, Chester, Duncannon, Eastburn, Florence, Germantown, Godfrey, Grange, Kensington, Lancaster, McKean, Malvern, Monastery, Mt. Pleasant, Nedro, Ogontz, Oregon, Osage, Park, Point Breeze, Roxborough, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Snyder, Stenton, Susquehanna, Torresdale, Warrington, Wissahickon, Wyoming avenues; East School House, Hartwell, Indian Queen, Thorp's, Walnut, Washington lanes; McKean and University Parkways; Fernhill and Westford roads; Erringer Place and Asbury Terrace."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Ginsburg, Gray, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason. *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 95) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of bridges on lines of South street, Forty-ninth street, Ashburner street, Linden avenue, Convent lane, Fifth street, Harvey street, Mount Airy avenue, and a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway (two bridges), and to authorize the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel; providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McGuigan, McKimney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—54.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 96) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan American, Atlantic, Beaumont, Beulah, Brill, Carlisle, Chew, Clearview, Conarroe, Ella, Fifteenth, Hicks, Litchfield, Mildred and Rodman streets, Warminster Place, Abbotsford avenue, Verree and Worthington roads."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney,

Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—58.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 97) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in B street, Eleventh street, Everett street, Fifth street, Fifty-first street, intercepting sewer through Fortieth Ward, Indian Creek storm sewer, Mifflin street, Pratt street, Rock Run in Godfrey avenue, Rock Run in Ashdale street, Sanger street, Sanger street outlet, Walker street, Knorr street, Twenty-ninth street relief, Wingohocking sewer, Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley,

C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McGuigan, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 233, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend page 405, line 31, by inserting before the words "Sixty-fifth," the words "Sixty-fourth street."

On page 405, next to last line, by striking out the word "now" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "herein authorized to be."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Dance, Dörwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation." (*Appendix No. 118.*)

The message was read.

Mr. Gaffney moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street." (*Appendix No. 119.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 15) entitled "Resolution of request to his Honor, the Mayor, to return to Select Council, Select Council bill (Appendix No. 121, Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of plot of ground situated in the Sixteenth Ward from the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation.'"

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Apsley and Berkley streets, from Pulaski avenue to Morris street." (Appendix No. 147, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades, and the establishment of new streets, parkways, parking places and parks over certain territory, comprising City Plans Nos. 252, 261, 299, 297 and 295, bounded by Roxborough avenue, Ridge avenue, Port Royal avenue, Hagy street, County Line and the Wissahickon creek, in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Wards of the City of Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 171, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revisions of portions of City Plans Nos. 231 and 275, in the Twenty-first Ward." (Appendix No. 173, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Nedro avenue, from Kemble avenue to Cheltenham and Willow Grove pike." (Appendix No. 227, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sixteenth street, from Olney avenue to Nedro avenue." (Appendix No. 228, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Fifteenth street, from Nedro avenue to Champlost avenue." (Appendix No. 229, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bellfield avenue, from Broad street to Old York road." (Appendix No. 230, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue." (Appendix No. 233, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to place on the City plan American, Atlantic, Beaumont, Beulah, Brill, Carlisle, Chew, Clearview, Conarroce, Ellä, Fifteenth, Hicks, Litchfield, Mildred and Rodman streets, Warminster Place, Abbotsford avenue, Verree and Worthington roads." (Appendix No. 96.)

"Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against Item 62 (loan) for the additional work for the improvement of Logan Square and the improvement of Franklin Square, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 109.)

"Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of the Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings, situated on Independence Square, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 110.)

"Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to pay one-half of the expense of rebuilding wall in front of the United States Arsenal on Bridge street, between the west gate and bridge over Frankford creek, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 111.)

“Resolution authorizing the drawing and countersigning of warrants in payment of salaries of certain employees now in the service of the United States Government, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (Appendix No. 112.)

“Resolution to authorize the purchase of an automobile for the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (Appendix No. 113.)

“Resolution authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of City Property to replace the automobile used by him by making an exchange of said automobile in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile.” (Appendix No. 114.)

“Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in different districts of Philadelphia.” (Appendix No. 115.)

“Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I) entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street.’” (Appendix No. 116.)

“Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled ‘An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation.’” (Appendix No. 117.)

Mr. J. Roberts moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, July 20, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig. E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*.

Mr. Barnes moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the American Surety Company showing the list of bonds executed by said company from January 1 to July 1, 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company *et al.*, trustees *et al.*, to convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of an extension of Fairmount Park in the Twenty-second Ward, and the beds of certain streets and avenues

adjacent thereto, upon the terms and conditions contained in said offer; directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed deeds and other instruments in writing to carry such offer into effect; to authorize the opening of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, Sedgwick and Ellet streets; to appropriate land for extension of Fairmount Park; to authorize the construction of sewer, the laying of water pipe, the curbing and paving of sidewalks, and the paving of roadways of the following streets: North Mount Pleasant road, South Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue, Wayne avenue, Ellet street and Sedgwick street; and to authorize the entering of security by the Mayor." (*Appendix No. 120.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, offered the following, to wit:

"Resolution relative to the approval of schedules and bills during the summer recess of Councils." (*Appendix No. 121.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit:

"Resolution providing for the summer recess of Councils." (*Appendix No. 122.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 100*) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the remodelling of and the construction of addi-

tions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 101) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,' approved the twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word 'Callow-

hill' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'Fairmount avenue.' "

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 102) entitled "An Ordinance to effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 142, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the grading, paving, repaving and repairing of footways and the furnishing, setting and resetting of curb."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Bran-

denstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portions of the Parkway."

Which was agreed to:

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, Mc-

Connell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 194, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Howard Hospital to construct a bridge over Webster street, east of Broad street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 195, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company to construct a steel framework bridge over and across Delaware avenue, south of Porter street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 196, Vol. I) entitled "An

Ordinance to permit the Bell Company to construct a bridge over and across Hancock street, north of Pollard street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 198, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 24) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brand-

enstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 30) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Laurel street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, Me-

Connell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 38) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wheatsheaf lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 39) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baun-gaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosh, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 47) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 48) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 49) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelly, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 51) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney,

Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 52) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle,

Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 55) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance passed November 4, 1915, authorizing the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 60) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of O street, from the south side of Hunting Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McCormell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 66) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 69) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 79) entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,
And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 80) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend on page 179, line 18, by inserting "Forty-eighth street, from Wyalusing avenue to Lancaster avenue."

On page 179, third line from the end, by inserting after the words "Sixty-eighth street" the following: "*Provided*, That the work of repaving Ridge avenue, between Rector and Hermitage streets, shall not relieve the Reading Transit and Light Company from any obligation or obligations, or any duty resting upon it, regarding paving, repaving

or repairing that is incumbent on it under the agreement of the Manayunk and Roxborough Inclined Plane and Railway Company authorized by ordinance of March 28, 1894: *And provided further*, That the bills for said repaving of Ridge avenue, from Rector to Hermitage street, shall be placed in the hands of the City Solicitor for collection from the said Reading Transit and Light Company, in accordance with the terms of said agreement and ordinance of March 28, 1894: *Provided further*, That all moneys paid into the City Treasury in the payment of said bills be hereby appropriated back to the item in the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) from which the cost of this work is to be taken."

On page 180, line 33, by striking out the following: "Thirteenth street, from Arch to Vine street."

On page 180, line 36, by striking out "Delaware avenue to Third street" and inserting in lieu thereof: "Second to Marshall street."

On page 181, line 32, by inserting the following: "Thirteenth street, from Arch to Vine street."

On page 181, line 38, by inserting after the words "Walnut street" the following: "and from Thirty-ninth street to the southwest side of the intersection of Chester avenue and Forty-first street."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney,

Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason. *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 81) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading and paving of Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shet-

ter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 82) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curb and lay foot-way pavements."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 85) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of A, Ainslie, Airdrie, Albanus,

Algard, Allman, Almond, Apsley, Arch, Ardleigh, Ashdale, Atlantic, Bambrey, Beaumont, Beechwood, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Bigler, Boyer, Broad, Bowman, Camac, Carlisle, Chancellor, Chatham, Chew, Church, Clearfield, Cleveland, Collins, Colonial, Colorado, Cottman, Courtland, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Darien, Devereaux, Dorcas, Dunlap, Earham, Edgemont, Edgewood, Ella, Ellsworth, Erdrick, Euclid, Eighteenth, Eighty-eighth, Fairhill, Felton, Franklin, Fifth, Fifteenth, Fifty-third, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Garfield, Gerry, Glenview, Grange, Gratz, Haddington, Hedley, Herbert, Howard, Hicks, Hope, Hutchinson, Hilton, I, Irving, Isenminger, Janney, Jefferson, Johnson, Knorr, Keim, Lawnton, Litchfield, Livingstone, Loudon, Logan, Ludlow, Luray, Madison, Malta, Marshall, Martha, Mathias, McCallum, Mentor, Mildred, Monmouth, Morris, Morse, Myrtlewood, Nassau, Norwood, Northumberland, Opal, Oxford, Palethorp, Peach, Pechin, Pentridge, Pike, Pollock, Pratt, Prentice, Rand, Regent, Ruby, Ruscomb, Sartain, Sheridan, Simpson, Smedley, Sprague, St. Vincent, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Seventy-second, Spencer, Third, Thompson, Tenth, Thirteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Umbria, Walker, Warnock, Water, Webster, Weikel, Wilt, Willard, Woodlawn and Woodstock streets, Abington, Abbotsford, Adams, Arlington, Bellfield, Champlost, Cheltenham, Chester, Clarkson, Columbia, Eastwick, Eastburn, Florence, Greenway, Kingsessing, Lansdowne, Lebanon, Mt. Pleasant, Malvern, Monastery, Montgomery, Nedro, Osage, Park, Parker, Point Breeze, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Somerville, Warrington, Willow Grove, Wyncote and Wyoming avenues, Fernhill, Marlyn and York roads, Linckiln pike, Hermit lane, Walnut lane, Erringer place, Cobb's Creek Parkway, Asbury Terrace, and Cresheim Valley Drive."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 86) entitled "An Ordinance to pave certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney,

Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 103) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct a bridge over and across Allegheny avenue, east of Nineteenth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A.

Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 104) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain steam and compressed air pipes under and across Wissahickon avenue, north of Bristol street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 179, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Hart lane, from Boudinot street to Indiana street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 234, Vol. I) entitled "An

Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Gatzmer street, from Water street to Delaware avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello. Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 235, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Janney street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 106) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in Bigler street and Packer street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys,

Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 107) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the continuation of the Cobbs creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street and connections thereto."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson,

O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers. Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 108) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello. Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys. Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers. Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 4) annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the payment of electric lights herein authorized."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 5) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to renew and extend the existing bridge carrying their tracks over Ridge avenue, at Laurel Hill station, in the Thirty-eighth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 6) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to lay, maintain and operate a railroad siding or track, crossing Seventh street, in the Thirteenth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dauce, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 7) annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Charles Day and John E. Zimmerman, trading as Day & Zimmerman, to construct and temporarily use a railroad siding, crossing Welsh road at grade at or near its intersection with Bensalem avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason. *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 8) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Bambrey, Beechwood, Blavis, Broad, Colonial, Daggett, Earlham, Etting, Gerry, Haddington, Jefferson, Levick, Morris, Sarah, Simpson, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-fourth, Twentieth, Woodstock and Yewdall streets, Abbotsford, Lansdowne, Malvern, Nedro, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-seventh, Stenton and Woodland avenues, and Asbury Terrace," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger,

Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

. NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 9) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of a certain plot of ground situated in the Twenty-eighth Ward from the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation for park and playground purposes," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read. and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger,

Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 10) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain lot or piece of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Seventh Ward of the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Tenth street, Rodman street, Eleventh street and Naudain street, for park and playground purposes, and place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis,

Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 11) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place The Boulevard under the care and management of the Commissioners of Fairmount Park," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shet-

ter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 12) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Schuylkill River East Side Railroad Company (Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company) to relocate their tracks along Oregon avenue, from Broad street to Delaware avenue." which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle,

Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 13) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company to lay and maintain a railroad track or siding across Gray's Ferry road, to connect their tracks west of Thirty-sixth street with property of D. B. Martin & Company, on the north side of Gray's Ferry road," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, Me-

Connell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 14) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to rescind and annul the setting apart of a certain lot or piece of ground in the Twenty-seventh Ward for a botanical and economic garden and public park, and for the setting apart of said ground as a site for a power house or plant for the use of the Philadelphia General Hospital and appurtenant buildings, and repealing inconsistent ordinances," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney,

Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with bill (Appendix No. 118, Vol. I) annexed entitled "An Ordinance regulating vehicular traffic on the highways of the City of Philadelphia," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason. *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same committee, with bill (Appendix No. 119, Vol. I) annexed entitled "An Ordinance making it a nuisance to suffer or permit vehicles to remain on certain highways of the City of Philadelphia except at the times and in the manner herein set forth," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Asnip, Baizley, Baldi, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Siegert, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to regulate the grading, paving, repaving and repairing of footways and the furnishing, setting and resetting of curb.” (Appendix No. 142, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portions of the Parkway.” (Appendix No. 163, Vol. I.)

“An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Hart lane, from Boudinot street to Indiana street.” (Appendix No. 179, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Howard Hospital to construct a bridge over Webster street, east of Broad street." (Appendix No. 194, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company to construct a steel framework bridge over and across Delaware avenue, south of Porter street." (Appendix No. 195, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Bell Company to construct a bridge over and across Hancock street, north of Pollard street." (Appendix No. 196, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street." (Appendix No. 198, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Gatzmer street, from Water street to Delaware avenue." (Appendix No. 234, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Janney street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street." (Appendix No. 235, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for payment of claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act." (Appendix No. 1.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, and the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for and improvement of the Parkway." (Appendix No. 2.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward." (Appendix No. 3.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer to pay mandamuses, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916." (Appendix No. 4.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for alterations and improvements, City Hall." (Appendix No. 5.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations and to make additional appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, and City Commissioners, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 6.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make certain expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money." (Appendix No. 7.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (Appendix No. 8.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for the purchase of automobile trucks." (Appendix No. 9.)

"An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for temporary draftsmen." (Appendix No. 11.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground, situate on the northwest side of Hunting Park avenue six hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches north-east of Wissahickon avenue, for police and fire house purposes." (Appendix No. 12.)

"An Ordinance selecting and appropriating certain lots or pieces of ground in the Fortieth Ward for sewage disposal purposes, and providing for payment of the cost of same." (Appendix No. 13.)

"An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved June 21, 1916, to authorize the purchase for park purposes of a

plot of ground bounded by Buckius, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets." (Appendix No. 15.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the improvement and development of certain small parks and recreation centers." (Appendix No. 17.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay bills incurred for material and supplies and for services, personal and other than personal, by the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, Receiver of Taxes, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, and Clerks of Councils." (Appendix No. 18.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for the purchase of materials and supplies; for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages; salaries and miscellaneous expenses; the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement and other expenses of City property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health, and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions and institutions for the insane, to the Departments of City Commissioners, City Treasurer, City Solicitor, City Controller, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Board of Recreation, Mayor, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Inspectors of the County Prisons, Receiver of Taxes, Recorder of Deeds, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, District Attorney, and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 19.)

"An Ordinance designating and approving the active depositories of City funds." (Appendix No. 20.)

"An Ordinance to provide for the selection of four banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept." (Appendix No. 21.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation of four million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (4,925,901) dollars to the Department of Law, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes." (Appendix No. 22.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street." (Appendix No. 24.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Laurel street." (Appendix No. 30.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wheatsheaf lane." (Appendix No. 38.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue." (Appendix No. 39.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street." (Appendix No. 47.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street." (Appendix No. 48.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street." (Appendix No. 49.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue." (Appendix No. 51.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue." (Appendix No. 52.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance passed November 4, 1915, authorizing the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street." (Appendix No. 55.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of O street, from the south side of Hunting Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue." (Appendix No. 60.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue." (Appendix No. 66.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street." (Appendix No. 69.)

"An Ordinance to provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements." (Appendix No. 79.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets." (Appendix No. 80.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading and paving of Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue." (Appendix No. 81.)

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curb and lay footway pavements." (Appendix No. 82.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads." (Appendix No. 83.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of A, Ainslie, Airdrie, Albanus, Algard, Allman, Almond, Apsley, Arch, Ardleigh, Ashdale, Atlantic, Bambrey, Beaumont, Beechwood, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Bigler, Boyer, Broad, Bowman, Camac, Carlisle, Chancellor, Chatham, Chew, Church, Clearfield, Cleveland, Collins, Colonial, Colorado, Cottman, Courtland, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Darien, Devereaux, Doreas, Dunlap, Earlham, Edgemont, Edgewood, Ella, Ellsworth, Erdrick, Euclid, Eighteenth, Eighty-eighth, Fairhill, Felton, Franklin, Fifth, Fifteenth, Fifty-third, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-

ninth, Garfield, Gerry, Glenview, Grange, Gratz, Haddington, Hedley, Herbert, Howard, Hicks, Hope, Hutchinson, Hilton, I, Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Johnson, Knorr, Keim, Lawnton, Litchfield, Livingstone, Loudon, Logan, Ludlow, Luray, Madison, Malta, Marshall, Martha, Mathias, McCallum, Mentor, Mildred, Monmouth, Morris, Morse, Myrtlewood, Nassau, Norwood, Northumberland, Opal, Oxford, Palethorp, Peach, Pechin, Pentridge, Pike, Pollock, Pratt, Prentice, Rand, Regent, Ruby, Ruscomb, Sartain, Sheridan, Simpson, Smedley, Sprague, St. Vincent, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Seventy-second, Spencer, Third, Thompson, Tenth, Thirteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Umbria, Walker, Warnock, Water, Webster, Weikel, Wilt, Willard, Woodlawn and Woodstock streets, Abington, Abbotsford, Adams, Arlington, Bellfield, Champlost, Cheltenham, Chester, Clarkson, Columbia, Eastwick, Eastburn, Florence, Greenway, Kingsessing, Lansdowne, Lebanon, Mt. Pleasant, Malvern, Monastery, Montgomery, Nedro, Osage, Park, Parker, Point Breeze, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Somerville, Warrington, Willow Grove, Wyncote and Wyoming avenues, Fernhill, Marlyn and York roads, Linckiln pike, Hermit lane, Walnut lane, Erringer Place, Cobb's Creek Parkway, Asbury Terrace, and Cresheim Valley Drive." (Appendix No. 85.)

"An Ordinance to pave certain streets." (Appendix No. 86.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in A. Aikens, Albanus, Allman, American, Anderson, Apsley, Arch, Ashdale, Atlantic, B. Bancroft, Beaumont, Beechwood, Benezet, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Blavis, Braddock, Bristol, Broad, Camac, Carlisle, Catharine, Chancellor, Chew, Cliveden, Crispin, Cornwall, Coulter, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Delphine, Dunlap, Earlham, Edmund, Ella, Emily, Euclid, Eighth, Eleventh, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Felton, Fernon, Franklin, Front

Fourth, Forty-ninth, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Galloway, Garfield, Gaul, Gerry, Gratz, Greenwich, Gross, Haddington, Haines, Hamilton, Hermit, Hilton, Hicks, Hope, Houghton, Hutchinson, Ionic, I, Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Juniper, Keim, Kenyon, Lawrence, Lee, Litchfield, Loudon, Ludlow, Luray, Luzerne, McClellan, Marshall, Marvine, Melon, Mentor, Mercy, Mifflin, Mildred, Mitchell, Monmouth, Montgomery, Morris, Morse, Mountain, Myrtlewood, Ninth, Norwood, Olive, Palethorp, Pechin, Penn, Pentridge, Philip, Pickwick, Pike, Plum, Poplar, Porter, Pratt, Prentice, Price, Princeton, Rector, Regent, Reno, Romain, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sartain, Sedgwick, Simpson, Shawnee, Sheridan, Smedley, Stewart, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-eighth, Tower, Thirteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-second, Vaux, Willard, Warnock, Weikel, Wilt, Wingohocking, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Yocum streets, Abington, Abbotsford, Arlington, The Boulevard, Cemetery, Cheltenham, Chester, Duncannon, Eastburn, Florence, Germantown, Godfrey, Grange, Kensington, Lancaster, McKean, Malvern, Monastery, Mt. Pleasant, Nedro, Ogontz, Oregon, Osage, Park, Point Breeze, Roxborough, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Snyder, Stenton, Susquehanna, Torresdale, Warrington, Wissahickon, Wyoming avenues, East School House, Hartwell, Indian Queen, Thorp's, Walnut, Washington lanes, McKean and University Parkways, Fernhill and Westford roads, Erringer Place and Asbury Terrace." (Appendix No. 87.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of bridges on lines of South street, Forty-ninth street, Ashburner street, Linden avenue, Convent lane, Fifth street, Harvey street, Mount Airy avenue, and a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway (two bridges), and to authorize the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel; providing for carrying into effect such authority, and

authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property." (Appendix No. 95.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in B street, Eleventh street, Everett street, Fifth street, Fifty-first street, intercepting sewer through Fortieth Ward, Indian creek storm sewer, Mifflin street, Pratt street, Rock Run in Godfrey avenue, Rock Run in Ashdale street, Sanger street, Sanger street outlet, Walker street, Knorr street, Twenty-ninth street relief, Wingo-hocking sewer, Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer." (Appendix No. 97.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the remodelling of and the construction of additions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital." (Appendix No. 100.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,' approved the twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word 'Callowhill' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'Fairmount avenue.'" (Appendix No. 101.)

"An Ordinance to effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance." (Appendix No. 102.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct a bridge over and across Allegheny avenue, east of Nineteenth street." (Appendix No. 103.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain steam and compressed air pipes under and across Wissahickon avenue, north of Bristol street." (Appendix No. 104.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in Bigler street and Packer street." (Appendix No. 106.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the continuation of the Cobb's creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street and connections thereto." (Appendix No. 107.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue." (Appendix No. 108.)

"Resolution relative to the approval of schedules and bills during the summer recess of Councils." (Appendix No. 121.)

"Resolution providing for the summer recess of Councils." (Appendix No. 122.)

Mr. Dance moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, September 21, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Conn moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, August 7, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

MY DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of Common Council, to take effect at once.

It is with regret that I sever my connections with your Honorable Body, especially on account of the warm friendships I have made with many of the members.

Thanking you for your many courtesies in the past, and with best wishes to all the members of Councils, I remain,

Very respectfully,

WM. P. SIEGERT,

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Philadelphia, September 20, 1916.

EDWARD B. GLEASON, M.D.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending the meeting of Common Council on Thursday, September 21, 1916, on account of illness.

Very truly yours,

W. W. TRINKLE, M.D.

Also, presented the report of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance Fund for the quarter ending June 30, 1916. (*Appendix No. 123.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented the audit of the City Controller of the bonds, accounts, securities and vouchers of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, between the City and the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, from the period from July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916. (*Appendix No. 124.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, relative to the annexation by the City of a tract of ground in Montgomery County, and its incorporation in the Thirty-fifth Ward (*Appendix No. 125.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Government.

Also, presented a communication from the City Treasurer, naming the Commercial Trust Company as one of the depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, soliciting the workmen's compensation insurance to cover the liabilities of the County and City of Philadelphia.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from a committee of firemen, requesting better conditions and increased pay for the firemen in the employ of the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from S. Emlen Meigs, advocating a shelter placed over the Grant's cabin in Fairmount Park.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Fairmount Park.

Also, presented a communication from D. E. Dallam, advocating amendments to the ordinance requiring the examination and certification of persons having charge of steam boilers and steam engines in the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Boiler Inspection.

Also, presented a petition from residents, advocating "An Ordinance to purchase the land bounded by Fifth, Sixth and Brown streets and Fairmount avenue, and establishing thereon a Playground."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning, without his approval, Common Council bill, Appendix No. 79,

entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets, and for parking, planting and other improvements." (*Appendix No. 126.*)

The message was read.

The question being, Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?

Mr. Stockley moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ginsburg read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Orianna street, from Morris to Moore street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Deutsch presented a petition of the steam fitters of City Hall, asking for an increase in their wages.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Michaelson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to have all stationary awnings and awning poles and fixtures connected therewith on sidewalks of Second street, from Poplar to Vine street, removed."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear of 624 North Bodine street, in the Eleventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Second street, from south side of Poplar street to Vine street, in the Eleventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. C. F. Kelley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 181 Jefferson street, in the Seventeenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Williams offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Jacob street, from Pechin street to a point west of No. 362 Jacob street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. Roberts offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Musgrave street, from Johnson street to Washington lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Musgrave street, from Johnson street to Washington lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface St. Martin's lane, from Willow Grove avenue to Hartwell lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward, "Bellfield avenue, from East Johnson to Upsal street; and East Johnson street, from Chew street to Bellfield avenue."

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Levis read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on west side of Tackawanna

street, midway between Ruan and Church streets, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Charles street, from Bridge to Foust street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Charles street, from Bridge to Foust street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Coroner, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Health, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Health, for the year 1916, for Medical Inspectors for private and parochial schools.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, requesting an additional appropriation for supplies for the Bureau of Charities, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Revision of Taxes, asking for certain transfers in their annual appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Charities, for the purchase of an automobile ambulance and automobile truck, and to pay bills of the Philadelphia Electric Company.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Charities, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting an additional appropriation for stationery, office supplies, printing, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Clerk of Quarter Sessions, requesting an appropriation to pay bills contracted prior to December 31, 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, asking for an appropriation to pay Dunlap Printing Company for additional budget statements of the City Controller to City Councils, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Municipal Court, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize payment for necessary work performed in excess of contract, at Clark Park, Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of extra laborers in squares at \$2.50 per day out of unused funds in the salary items in Item 12 (a)."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Surveys to replace the Cole automobile used by the Bureau of Surveys, by making an exchange of said automobile in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Transit and Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners for the completion and occupancy of the building at Twelfth and Wood streets (Old Vaux School).

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance regulating appliance meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter, and authorizing the installation of meters."

Which was referred to the Special Committee on Meter Rates.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Gas)."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make a transfer in the annual appropriation to the Director's office, Department of Public Works, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McKinney (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company, for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street, between Nedro avenue and City line."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving around St. Ann's Church and School on Memphis street, Cedar street, Tucker street

and Lehigh avenue, in the Thirty-first Ward, with wood block."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gray read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the distance of about 164 feet south from the south side of Sixtieth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Lansdowne avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Haverford avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Brandenstein read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make a topographical survey, and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks, in the territory bounded by Hasbrook street, Cheltenham avenue and the New York Short Line Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to revise the lines and grades of the following streets: That portion of the City plan bounded by South street, Delaware River, Oregon avenue and Schuylkill River; and Thirty-fourth street, University avenue and Vintage avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Monmouth street, from Chatham to Gaul street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets: Magnolia and Homer streets, from Washington lane to Duval street; and Monmouth street, from Chatham to Gaul street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of certain streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Monmouth street, from Chatham to Gaul street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Cherry street, from Broad to Thirteenth street, in the Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Porter street, from Broad to Eighteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Twenty-third street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Moore street, from Eighteenth street to Point Breeze avenue; and Twenty-sixth street, from Reed to Tasker street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Ontario street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street; and Eighteenth street, from Ontario to Tioga street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of certain country roads."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hahn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Carson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Benham read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street, and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh to Etting street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mathay read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the northwest corner of Fifty-sixth and Willows avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Bosch offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Eighty-sixth street, from Guyers avenue to Lyons avenue; Brunswick avenue, from Island road to Eighty-first street; Ashwood avenue, from

Eighty-fifth to Eighty-eighth street; Eastwick avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Harley avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-sixth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street, to lay footway pavements and set curb."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Linden avenue, between Edmond and Hegerman streets, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Robbins street, from Frankford avenue to the Boulevard, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving The Olney Bank as an active depository of the City funds."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-second Ward on the City plan: Norton Place, from Ogontz avenue to Old York road; and Elkins street, from Wister street to Olney avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Twenty-first street, from Kemble avenue to Nedro avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Sydenham street, from Fishers lane to Lindley avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Rising Sun avenue, from Wyoming avenue to the Boulevard; Tenth street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue; and Broad street, from Cheltenham avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Scargle read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit Star & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Scholes read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Sixth street, from Tioga to Venango street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. LeGierse read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Viola street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-fourth Ward: Viola street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; and Forty-ninth street, from Viola street to Parkside avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Viola street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave

Viola street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. Schwarz (by request) read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-seventh Ward: Park avenue, from Dauphin to York street; and York street, from Twelfth to Broad street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the name of Bridge street, between Delaware River and Frankford avenue, to Arsenal avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Richmond street upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thompson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire, for the year 1917, to provide for additional hose and laddermen and uniforms, and to provide for the increase of salary to the present uniformed members of the Fire Bureau."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, to improve Clark Park, Forty-third street and Baltimore avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Fifty-ninth street, from Locust to Spruce street; and Larchwood avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Sixtieth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Fifty-ninth street, from Walnut to Spruce street; and Larchwood avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Sixtieth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bennett offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the retirement of Mr. William P. Siegert as a member of Common Council from the Forty-second Ward.

WHEREAS, Mr. William P. Siegert, a member of this Body, representing the Forty-second Ward for three years, has this day presented his resignation. He has been unremitting in his attention to his duties, and given faithful consideration to measures calculated to advance the interests of the City, as well as of those whom he immediately represented, and has endeared himself to his fellow members by his upright character as a man; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That we place on record our regret at the retirement of Mr. Siegert as a member of this Body, and hereby express our appreciation of the ability, zeal and fidelity with which he has discharged his duties as a member of Common Council.

Resolved, That this resolution be entered upon the Journal of Common Council, properly engrossed and presented to Mr. Siegert.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Costello offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary

drain in Gillespie street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street." (*Appendix No. 127.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from a point 60 feet above Walker street to the sewer in Algard street." (*Appendix No. 128.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from Gillespie street to sewer in Algard street." (*Appendix No. 129.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Cottage street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street." (*Appendix No. 130.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize repairs, alterations, improvements and equip-

ment for Room 740-A City Hall, for use of Photographic Division of the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 131.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankensfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't.*
—77.

NAYS—None.

Two thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to improve certain country roads, approved July 20, 1916, against any appropriation made to said Department for improv-

ing country roads, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 132.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets,' approved July 31, 1916, against any appropriation made to said Department for repaving; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this

resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 133.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't* —77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Milligan offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Highway Supervisors to permit the Baldwin Locomotive Works to erect a steel chute over the pavement for a period of one year only, and be supported entirely from their building at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, and directing the presenta-

tion of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 134.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 120*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company et al., trustees et al., to convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of an extension of Fairmount Park in the Twenty-second Ward, and the beds of certain streets and avenues adjacent thereto, upon the terms and conditions contained in said offer; directing the City Solicitor to

prepare and have executed deeds and other instruments, in writing, to carry such offer into effect; to authorize the opening of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, Sedgwick and Ellet streets; to appropriate land for extensions of Fairmount Park; to authorize the construction of sewers, the laying of water pipe, the curbing and paving of sidewalks and the paving of roadways of the following streets: North Mount Pleasant road, South Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue, Wayne avenue, Ellet street and Sedgwick street; and to authorize the entering of security by the Mayor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The eleventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The twelfth section was again read, and agreed to.

The thirteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley,

Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Fifth to Seventh street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the word "Fifth" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Sixth."

Which was agreed to.

The title was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the word "Fifth" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Sixth."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch,

Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, •Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert,

Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 78) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Houghton street, from James-town street to Walnut lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 174, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Enfield avenue, between Torresdale avenue and Cottage street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 175, Vol. I) entitled "An

Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets and the establishment of new streets over certain territory in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 25) entitled "Resolution of request to his Honor, the Mayor, to return to Select Council, Select Council bill (Appendix No. 9, Vol. II) entitled 'An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of a certain plot of ground, situated in the Twenty-eighth Ward, from the Department of Public Works (Bu-

reau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation, for park and playground purposes.' "

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 24) entitled "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Select Council bill (Appendix No. 10, Vol. II) entitled 'An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain lot or piece of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Seventh Ward of the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Tenth street, Rodman street, Eleventh street and Naudain street, for park and playground purposes,' and place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Enfield avenue, between Torresdale avenue and Cottage street." (Appendix No. 174, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets, and the establishment of new streets over certain territory in the Fortieth Ward." (Appendix No. 175, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street." (Appendix No. 68.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall

street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (Appendix No. 70.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Houghton street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane." (Appendix No. 78.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company et al., trustees et al., to convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of an extension of Fairmount Park in the Twenty-second Ward, and the beds of certain streets and avenues adjacent thereto, upon the terms and conditions contained in said offer; directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed deeds and other instruments in writing to carry such offer into effect; to authorize the opening of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, Sedgwick and Ellet streets; to appropriate land for extensions of Fairmount Park; to authorize the construction of sewers, the laying of water pipe, the curbing and paving of sidewalks and the paving of roadways of the following streets: North Mount Pleasant road, South Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue, Wayne avenue, Ellet street and Sedgwick street; and to authorize the entering of security by the Mayor." (Appendix No. 120.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Gillespie street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street." (Appendix No. 127.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from a point 60 feet above Walker street to sewer in Algard street." (Appendix No. 128.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from Gillespie street to sewer in Algard street." (Appendix No. 129.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Cottage street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street." (Appendix No. 130.)

"Resolution to authorize repairs, alterations, improvements and equipment for Room 740A City Hall, for use of Photographic Division of the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 131.)

"Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to improve certain country roads, approved July 20, 1916,' against any appropriation made to said Department for improving country roads, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present the resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 132.)

"Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets, approved July 31, 1916,' against any appropriation made to said Department for repaving, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or his disapproval." (Appendix No. 133.)

"Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Highway Supervisors to permit the Baldwin Locomotive Works to erect a steel chute over the pavement for a period of one year only and be supported entirely from their building at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 134.)

Mr. J. Roberts moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, October 5, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelson, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. R. Smith moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

DR. E. B. GLEASON,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly accept my resignation as a member of Common Council from the First Ward, to take effect this day. I desire to thank you and the members of Common Council for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown to me while a member of this body.

Very truly yours,

JACOB GINSBURG.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

DEAR PRESIDENT:—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of Common Council, representing the Second Ward, to take effect immediately.

Very truly yours,
CHARLES C. A. BALDI, JR.

Philadelphia, September 29, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I herewith tender my resignation as typewriter and assistant clerk, to take effect on October 1, 1916.

Thanking you for the courtesies shown me, I am,

Yours respectfully,
ROBERT HAMILTON.

The President appointed Mr. Samuel Beatty as typewriter and assistant to committee clerk, in place of Robert Hamilton, resigned.

Also, announced the appointment of Mr. O'Brien to the Joint Special Committee on Care, Sustenance and Relief of those in the Military and Naval Service, in place of Mr. Siegert, resigned.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller submitting the Departmental Budget estimate of 1917 requirements, accompanied by salary schedules supporting the line reading "Personal Salaries."

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a report from the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, showing the amount of the

three (3) per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, on which interest is paid by the City as it stood May 1, 1916, and as it now stands on the books of the said bank of October 1, 1916. (*Appendix No. 135.*)

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the North Philadelphia Business Men's Association, relative to the reduction in the price of gas furnished by the United Gas Improvement Company.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor transmitting an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works,' approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916." (*Appendix No. 136.*)

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Deutsch read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit The Home Life Insurance Company to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of 504 and 506 Walnut street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear 1951 Locust street, in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Jones read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the southeast corner of Darien and Buttonwood streets, in the Thirteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. McCloskey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn for a recreation park properties 1052 North Front street and 1011 and 1013 Hope street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. C. F. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate additional electric lights and relocate present lights on Germantown avenue, between Girard avenue and Oxford street, in the Seventeenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Reynolds read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street,' approved August 15, 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear of southwest side of Dexter street, 110 feet south of East Lyceum avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets, in the Twenty-second Ward: Ardleigh

street, from Price to Haines street; Greene street, north, from Upsal street, to connect present sewer in Greene street; and Cresheim Valley drive, from Mermaid lane to Moreland avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street; Woodlawn street, from Ardleigh to Sprague street; and Cresheim Valley drive, from Mermaid lane to Springfield avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Chelten avenue, from Germantown avenue to Stenton avenue; and Chew street, from Chelten avenue to Washington lane.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Rodney street, from Vernon road to Mt. Airy avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Roberts read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Greene street, from end of present sewer, Germantown and Chestnut Hill R. R., to Cliveden street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. McGuigan offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to relocate gasoline lamp rear of 3058-60 Frankford avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Cornwall street, from Emerald to Braddock street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Fleming read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light northeast corner Stouton and Clearfield streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gaffney presented the requests from the various Departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for appropriations for the year 1917.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting a transfer to the Department of Supplies, for stationery, printing, etc., for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation for the year 1916, to the Bureau of Charities, for miscellaneous expenses.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting a transfer in the Bureau of Charities, for the year 1916, for the purpose of connecting all buildings at the Philadelphia Hospital for the Insane with the sewage disposal plant, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Commercial Museum, requesting an additional appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916, for the maintenance of the museums.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Solicitor, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Commissioners, requesting a certain transfer in the Bureau of Weights and Measures, for a motor truck.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the City Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the inspectors of the County Prisons, requesting certain transfers, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance relieving the Alumnae Association of the Public High School for Girls from payment of rental for City property used as athletic field."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the City Commissioners, for the year 1916, for alterations and repairs for the Supreme Court."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Eighth street, upon the City plan, from Walnut to Locust street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the moneys appropriated to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1916, out of the

four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on building construction work incident to the improvement of small parks and squares, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the employment of temporary inspectors on the paving of streets, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on the general improvements of various parks and squares now authorized, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to approve lease of storeyard for the Seventh Highway District, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. G. H. Kelley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McKinney (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Union Paving Company the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars in lieu of old granite blocks which were to have been fur-

nished the Union Paving Company by the City in connection with a contract for the repaving of Spring Garden street, from Sixth to Ninth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Union Paving Company the sum of fifteen hundred and ninety-five (1,595) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents in connection with the repaving of Bensalem Test road, Section No. 9, with a bituminous concrete pavement as directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Baumgaertel offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to relocate gasoline lamp from F street, above Tioga street, to south end of P. R. R. bridge on G street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to relocate gasoline lamp from F street, above Tioga street, to rear 3513 G street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dougherty offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Schulz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to relocate gasoline lamp to northwest corner of Ontario and Orianna street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gray read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Lansdowne avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Haverford avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Lansdowne avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Haverford avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn property situate on the west side of Second street (No. 2422), at the distance of 183 feet 4 inches, from the north side of York street, in the Nineteenth Ward, for bath house purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place bills to strike the following streets from the City plan: Stanley street, from Gray's Ferry road to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad tracks; and Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Monmouth street, from Chatham to Gaul street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Titan street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Torresdale avenue, from Frankford avenue to bridge over Frankford creek."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Emlen street, from Lincoln drive to Allen's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade York road, from Oak lane to County line, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Race street, from Franklin to Eighth street, in the Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize York road, from Oak lane to County line, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Carson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Eighteenth street, from Erie avenue to Venango street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Benham read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Vaux street, from Midvale avenue to Indian Queen lane, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Ridge avenue, from Lehigh avenue to School House lane, and Twenty-third street, from Lehigh avenue to Allegheny avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mathay read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Brewster avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Fifty-seventh street, from Willows avenue to Warrington avenue; Fifty-fifth street, from Willows avenue to Springfield avenue, and Florence avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Fortieth Ward, on the City plan: Ashurst and Pentridge streets, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bosch read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Brunswick avenue, from Island road to Eighty-first street; Holstein avenue, from Eighty-second to Eighty-first street; Madison avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-first street; Ashwood avenue, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-eighth street, and Gibson avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-sixth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Fortieth Ward, on the City plan: Seventy-fifth street, from Brewster avenue to Botanic avenue, and Botanic avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Seventy-fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Hutchinson street, from Courtland to Loudon street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Lawrence street, from Olney avenue to Chew street, and Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Loudon street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Sixty-sixth avenue, north from Limekiln turnpike to a point about 300 feet west of Limekiln turnpike; west side of Fifth street, from Grange avenue to Nedro avenue; Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Seventh street, from Chew street to Nedro avenue; Sixth street, from Grange avenue to

Nedro avenue; Lawrence street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Church lane, from Linnekiln pike to Twentieth street, and Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Loudon street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Lawrence street and Seventh street, from Olney avenue to Chew street, and Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-second Ward, on the City plan: Luray street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street, and Lambert street, from Stenton avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Tilton street, from Ontario to Schiller street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Sheehan read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the west side of Nineteenth street, between West Turner and West Nicholas streets, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the

Department of Public Works, approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916." (*Appendix No. 137.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets." (*Appendix No. 138.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets." (*Appendix No. 139.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads." (*Appendix No. 140.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue." (*Appendix No. 141.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Twenty-first street, from Kemble street to Nedro avenue." (*Appendix No. 142.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane." (*Appendix No. 143.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize the opening of Enlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allen's lane." (*Appendix No. 144.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue." (*Appendix No. 145.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relating to the issue of City loans hereafter negotiated; authorizing the loan and transfer agent of the City to issue negotiable interim certificates pending the completion of permanent loan certificates; authorizing the permanent loan certificates to be issued as desired in registered or coupon form and to be interchangeably used, the coupon form having privilege of registration as to principal; and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 146.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A.

Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—79.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution fixing Tuesday, October 10, 1916, as a stated meeting of the Select and Common Councils." (*Appendix No. 147.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Surveys to replace the Cole automobile used by the Bureau of Surveys, by making an exchange of said automobile, in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile." (*Appendix No. 148.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 68*) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street,' " and Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 70*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (*Appendix No. 149.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Baizley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to make preparations for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1917." (*Appendix No. 150.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Baizley (*Ch'n*), R. Smith, Stockley, Cooper and Conn, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Mr. F. Schwarz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Quaker City Iron Company to lay a temporary drain under south sidewalk of Edgemont street, from 359 feet east of Tioga street to Tioga street, and thence diagonally across Tioga street to present sewer in Edgemont street." (*Appendix No. 151.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Righter offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the retirement of Mr. Jacob Ginsburg as a member of Common Council from the First Ward.

WHEREAS, By the retirement of Mr. Jacob Ginsburg as a member of Common Council from the First Ward, the City has been deprived of a faithful representative, who

for three years has been unremitting in his arduous attention to his duties and given intelligent consideration to measures calculated to advance the interests of the City as well as those he immediately represents and has endeared himself to his fellow members by his upright character as a man; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That we place on record our regret at his retirement as a member of this body, and that a copy of this resolution be suitably engrossed and presented to Mr. Ginsburg.¹

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

¹ The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch,

Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Ginsburg, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Kecne, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Michaelsen, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—80.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was again introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street." (*Appendix No. 152.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, returning in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (*Appendix No. 153.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 31) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Board of Recreation to lay a temporary drain in Catharine street (north sidewalk), from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (Appendix 180, Vol. I.)

"Resolution relating to the issue of City loans hereafter negotiated; authorizing the loan and transfer agent of the City to issue negotiable interim certificates pending the completion of permanent loan certificates; authorizing the permanent loan certificates to be issued as desired in registered or coupon form and to be interchangeably used, the coupon form having privilege of registration as to principal; and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 146.)

"Resolution fixing Tuesday, October 10, 1916, as a stated meeting of the Select and Common Councils." (Appendix No. 147.)

"Resolution authorizing the Chief engineer of the Bureau of Surveys to replace the Cole automobile used by the Bureau of Surveys, by making an exchange of said automobile, in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile." (Appendix No. 148.)

Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street," and Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (Appendix No. 149.)

"Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to make preparations for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1917" (Appendix No. 150), and that the President of Select Council had appointed Messrs. Harrington, Crawford, McKinley, Boal and Quigley, the committee on the part of Select Council.

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Quaker City Iron Company to lay a temporary drain under south sidewalk of Edgemont street, from 359 feet east of Tioga street to Tioga street, and thence diagonally across Tioga street to present sewer in Edgemont street." (Appendix No. 151.)

Mr. Baizley moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Tuesday, October 10, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Baizley moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. C. F. Kelley (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Sheriff, for the purpose of increasing the salaries of the writ servers and criminal process servers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Hall street, from Tenth to South Clifton street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the City Treasurer, requesting an additional appropriation for the subsistence of persons.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Commissioners, requesting a certain transfer in their annual appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety and Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the payment of wages of watchmen on grade crossings of the Schuylkill River East Side Railway Company in South Philadelphia at Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets on the line of Oregon avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the general welfare and better protection of life and property, by requiring examination and certification of persons firing steam boilers in the City of Philadelphia, and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the selection of five banks or depositories in which the active account of the city shall be kept."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Thirty-fourth Ward as part of Cobb's Creek Park and Morris Park as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance regulating the inspection and construction of steam boilers used in the City of Philadelphia, and adopting the rules

and regulations of the Industrial Board of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, known as the Safety Standards, or Code, respecting such inspection and construction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Boiler Inspection.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Louden street, from Ninth to Tenth street; and Limekiln pike, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Wyoming avenue, from Ninth to Tenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Ninth street, from Courtland street to Wyoming avenue; and Tenth street, from Louden to Rockland street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Ninth street, from Courtland street to Wyoming avenue; and Louden street, from Ninth to Tenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Daggett street, to a width of 90 feet, by placing the same upon the City plan, with a grass plot in the center of Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood street to Sixty-sixth street, and to make the necessary revision of grades."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Haines street, from Limekiln pike to Ogontz avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Benham offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Clearfield street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-fourth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Scott's lane, from Reading Railroad, Richmond Branch, to Cresson street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward.

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Baizley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley running from Shunk street and Oregon avenue and Eighth and Mildred streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Mathay read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Millick street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue; Gibson avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; and Sixty-first street, from Elmwood avenue to Gibson avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Millick street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue; Gibson avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; and Sixty-first street, from Elmwood avenue to Railroad.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Sixty-second street, from Chelwynde avenue to Gibson avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Sixtieth street, from Elmwood avenue to Eastwick avenue; and Chelwynde avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Millick street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue, in the Fortieth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Coroner and Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 154.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Clerk of Quarter Sessions, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 155.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize an additional sum out of loan funds for the improvement of Westmoreland Square, by the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property)." (*Appendix No. 156.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 137*) entitled "An Ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention

Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works,' approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—54.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 138) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—54.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 139) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Conn, Cooper, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig,

E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—55.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 140) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of certain country roads."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—56.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 32) entitled "Resolution to meet in joint convention to hear an address by the Mayor."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 33) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit E. H. Bannester to lay a temporary drain in Montague street, from Rhawn street to six hundred (600) feet north of Rhawn street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The members of Select Council being introduced and Select and Common Councils being assembled in joint convention, Mr. Lennon, President of Select Council, in the chair, who announced that the convention had assembled for the purpose of hearing an address by the Mayor, Hon. Thomas B. Smith.

The Mayor read an address relative to the high-speed transit lines. (*See Select Council Appendix No. 34.*)

Mr. R. Smith, seconded by Mr. McGurk, moved that the message and accompanying ordinance be referred to the Joint Committees on Finance and Street Railways.

Which was agreed to.

The purpose for which the joint convention had assembled being accomplished, Select Council retired.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works,’ approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916.” (Appendix No. 137.)

Mr. McGuigan moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, October 19, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Shechan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*.

Mr. McGurk moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Detroit, Mich., October 16, 1916.

DR. GLEASON,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—Owing to an engagement out of the City I will not be able to attend next meeting of Council and I hope therefore to be excused.

Yours truly,

JAMES A. HUMPHRYS.

Also, announced the appointment of Mr. Gillespie as a member of the Committee on Fairmount Park, in place of Mr. Baldi, resigned.

Also, presented a communication from the Art Jury forwarding copy of resolution passed by that body relative to the improvement of the territory adjacent to the Schuylkill River, from Callowhill street southward.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented communications from the Olney Improvement Association and from W. W. Keen, M. D., protesting against an increase in the tax rate for 1917.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Logan Improvement League, relative to improvements necessary in the Forty-second Ward.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cahill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the west side of Fifth street, below Bainbridge street, in the Fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Deutsch read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights on the east side of Fifth street, north of Gaskill street, in front of the Synagogue, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. C. F. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved July 27, 1916, authorizing the construction of main sewers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Anderson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Grape street, from Silverwood street to Tower street, and the construction of the

necessary stone wall and stone steps, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City Plan of Roxborough street, from Silverwood to Cresson street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Rittenhouse street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Levis read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Sellers street at about 100 feet from Frankford avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Fleming offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1858 and 1860 East Allegheny avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Stockley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Oregon avenue, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Oregon avenue, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Shaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Fifteenth street, between

Euelid avenue and Berks street, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Lewis read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Morse street, from Thirty-first to Thirty-third street, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dougherty offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Baumgaertel read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-third Ward: L street, from Sedgley avenue to Torresdale avenue; M street, from Kensington avenue to Torresdale avenue; and Sedgley avenue, from Kensington avenue to L street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open G street, from Venango street to The Northeast Boulevard, in the Thirty-third and Forty-second Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Shetter offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Brandenstein read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Herbert street, from Langdon street to Summerdale avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Oakley street, from Princeton street to a point sixty-three feet eleven inches north of Tyson avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Langdon street, from The Boulevard to Foulkrod street; and Summerdale avenue, from The Boulevard to Frankford avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Langdon street, from The Boulevard to Foulkrod street; and Summerdale avenue, from The Boulevard to Frankford avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Magee street, from four hundred and twenty-seven feet east of J street to one hundred and eighty-eight feet west of H street; Unruh street, from six hundred and thirty-one feet west of Martin's Mill road east of Rising Sun lane to J street; J street, from near Robbins avenue to Fanshaw street; Friendship street, from Rising Sun avenue to Shellburne street; Oakley street, from Friendship street to ninety feet north of Tyson street; Princeton street, from Rising Sun avenue to Shellburne street; and Shellburne street, from Princeton to Friendship street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Herbert street, from Langdon street to Summerdale avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, on the City Plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the improvement and development of certain playgrounds and recreation centers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Philadelphia Ice Rink Company to construct and maintain pipes under and across Fifty-second street, south of Jefferson street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,' approved July 31, 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Gratz street, from about one hundred feet north of Godfrey avenue to Medary avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Bambrey street, from Tasker to Morris street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Pierce street, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City Plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade the northwest side of Olney avenue, from Broad street to fifty feet east of Sixteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward, on the City Plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, presented a communication from the Prothonotary of the Courts of Common Pleas, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Civil Service Commission, requesting certain transfers in their annual appropriation, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Charities, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Receiver of Taxes, requesting an appropriation for advertising in the *Philadelphia Inquirer*.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to remit taxes for the year 1916 on property situate Northwest corner of Lawrence and Spruce streets, used continuously for religious purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a charge in the apportionment of the item of four hundred and twenty-five thousand (425,000) dollars for removal of grade crossings in the loan approved May 6, 1915, by amending the ordinance approved June 3, 1915, entitled "An Ordinance to make appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Board of Recreation, County Prisons, and City Commissioners, out of the four million three hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,325,000) dollar loan, authorized to be borrowed by ordinance approved May 6, 1915."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Benham read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Lippincott street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Clerks of Councils for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1917."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Mathay offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 2054 South Salford street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Hegerman street to State road; of Tulip street, from Solly to Hoffnagle street; and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Tulip street to State road; of Keystone, Eadom and James streets, from Linden avenue to Arendell street; of Tulip street, from Gregg to Arendell street; and of State road, from Pennypack street to Convent avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp on west side of Hegerman street, one hundred and fifty feet below Benner street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Westford avenue, from Clarkson avenue to Genova street; and Sixty-eighth avenue, from present sewer west of Fifteenth street to a point about eighty-three feet east of Sixteenth street; and in Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Elbow lane.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Westford avenue, from Clarkson avenue to Genova street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Olney avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Front street; Westford avenue, from Clarkson avenue to Genova street; and Clarkson avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Olney avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: The Boulevard, from Seventh street to N. P. R. R.; Westford avenue, from Clarkson avenue to Genova street; Duncannon street, from Ninth to Tenth street; and Ninth street, from Lindley avenue to Fishers avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Frankenfield read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the southeast corner of Moth street and Wyalusing avenue, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. F. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Erie avenue, from Frankford avenue to Amber street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith, from the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller and Law, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 157.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide the selection of five banks or depositories in which

the active account of the City shall be kept." (*Appendix No. 158.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving The Olney Bank as depository of the City funds." (*Appendix No. 159.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relieving the Alumnae Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls from payment of rental for City property as Athletic Field." (*Appendix No. 160.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, as Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (*Appendix No. 161.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street." (*Appendix No. 162.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue." (*Appendix No. 163.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Ardleigh, Bambrey, Clearfield, Etting, Fawn, Herbert, Langdon, Latona, Loudon, Manton and Oxford streets, Columbia and Lancaster avenues." (*Appendix No. 164.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan of Guenther, Herbert, Luray, Monmouth, Thelma and Watkins streets." (*Appendix No. 165.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh street and Twelfth street." (*Appendix No. 166.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street, and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh street to Etting street." (*Appendix No. 167.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street, University avenue to Vintage avenue." (*Appendix No. 168.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan and vacating Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street." (*Appendix No. 169.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Frankenfield offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I), entitled 'An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said

property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.'”
(*Appendix No. 170.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: “Resolution authorizing the employment of temporary inspectors on the paving of streets, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.”
(*Appendix No. 171.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: “Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on build-

ing construction work incident to the improvement of small parks and squares, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 172.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on the general improvements of various parks and squares now authorized, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 173.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to approve lease of storeyard for the Seventh Highway District, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 174.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch,

Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 154) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Coroner and Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding at end of section the following:

"SECT. 2. The City Controller is also authorized to make the following additional transfer: Department of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau: from Item 5 (a), electric are lighting, twenty-four thousand (24,000) dollars, to

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 3, to pay wages of men employed as quarantine guards, twenty-four thousand dollars \$24,000"

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the word "Works" the words "Public Safety."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 155) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Clerk of Quarter Sessions, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out on page 311, five lines from bottom of page, the following: "from Item 12 (200 loan), repairs to automobiles, four hundred (400) dollars."

By striking out on page 312, eight lines from bottom of page, the following: "from Item 20 (a) (200 loan), to pay primary election officers, six hundred and thirty (630) dollars."

By striking out on page 313, under the words "Bureau of Highways," all of Items 2 (a) (200 loan), and 11 (a) (200 loan).

On page 315, under "City Commissioners," Item 16 (c) (200 loan), by striking out the words and figures "ten thousand (10,000) dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "nine thousand three hundred and seventy (9,370) dollars."

By adding at end of section the following: "SECT. 2. The City Controller is also authorized to make the following transfers: Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire: from Item 5 (200 loan), salaries, twenty-six thousand (26,000) dollars; Clerks of Councils: from Item 10 (200 loan), to pay salaries and wages, etc. (substitutes for soldiers, etc.), seven thousand (7,000) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 3 (200 loan), to pay wages of men employed as quarantine guards, twenty-six thousand dollars \$26,000

CLERKS OF COUNCILS.

Item 11 (200 loan), for the care, maintenance and entertainment of those in the military and naval service of the United States, seven thousand dollars 7,000

Said amount to be expended, without advertising, under the supervision of the Joint Special Committee, appointed under resolution,

passed June 22, 1916, for care, sustenance and relief of those in the military and naval service of the United States."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the words "Quarter Sessions" the words "and Clerks of Councils."

Which was agreed to.

The amendment having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 156) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize an additional sum out of loan funds for the

improvement of Westmoreland Square, by the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn. Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 40) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Moyamensing avenue, to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's property east of Twentieth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 77) entitled "An Ordinance to open, to its full width, Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper,

Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 145) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unoponed portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz,

Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning, in compliance with resolution of Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (*Appendix No. 175.*)

The message was read.

Mr. Frankenfield moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was finally passed.

On which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

Also, by unanimous consent, moved to amend Section 1, page 317, on lines 7 and 8, by striking out the word "north" and inserting the word "south;" on line 11 by striking out the word "southeast" and inserting the word "northeast;" and on line 12 by striking out the word "southwest" and inserting the word "northeast."

Amend title by striking out the word "southeast" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "northeast."

Which was agreed to.

The question recurring on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required, according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 28) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water-pipe in Granite, Hollywood, Monmouth, Myrtlewood, Russell, Schiller, Sydenham, Toronto and Viola streets, Harley avenue and Scotforth road," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Miligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 29) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain lot or piece of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Seventh Ward of the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Tenth street, Rodman street, Eleventh street and Lombard street, for park and playground purposes, and place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation, and authorizing the striking from

the City plan Naudain street, from Tenth to Eleventh street," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 30) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Connecting Railway, The Pennsylvania Rail-

road Company, lessee, to construct, operate and maintain one additional track and to construct and maintain new bridges to carry said track over and across Twenty-fifth street and Dauphin street in the Twenty-eighth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 38) entitled "Resolution of request to the City Controller to countersign warrants

drawn against Items 5 (f) and 11 (200 loan), Clerks of Councils."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 37) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Ronald A. Needham to lay a temporary drain in the north side of Granite street, from 270 feet east of Ditman street to sewer in Ditman street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 39) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Horatio C. Jones to lay a temporary drain in Yocum street, from 70 feet southwest of Sixty-seventh street to Sixty-seventh street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in Common Council bill (Appendix No. 139) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets," with the following amendment in which they ask concurrence.

Amend the first and only section by adding after the words "Green lane," on the 6th line from the bottom of

page 293, the following: "Walnut street, from Twelfth to Broad street."

The question being on agreeing to the amendment,

The yeas and nays were required, according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillespie, Hahn, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred in the amendment to Select Council.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Moyamensing avenue, to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's property east of Twentieth street." (Appendix No. 40.)

"An Ordinance to open, to its full width, Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street." (Appendix No. 77.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets." (Appendix No. 138.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of certain country roads." (Appendix No. 140.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue." (Appendix No. 145.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Coroner and Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 154.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes, Clerk of Quarter Sessions and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 155.)

"An Ordinance to authorize an additional sum out of loan funds for the improvement of Westmoreland Square, by the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property." (Appendix No. 156.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue, and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.' " (Appendix No. 170.)

"Resolution authorizing the employment of temporary inspectors on the paving of streets, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 171.)

“Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on building construction work incident to the improvement of small parks and squares, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (Appendix No. 172.)

“Resolution authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on the general improvements of various parks and squares now authorized, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (Appendix No. 173.)

“Resolution to approve lease of storeyard for the Seventh Highway District, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval. (Appendix No. 174.)

Mr. Barnes moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, November 2, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Stockley moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Germantown, November 1, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I am called out of the City to-morrow. I must therefore ask to be excused from attending the meeting of Councils.

Yours truly,

JOSEPHUS ROBERTS.

Lawndale, Phila., November 1, 1916.

HON. EDWARD B. GLEASON, M. D.,
President of Common Council.

MY DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:—As I will be out of the City Thursday, November 2nd, it will not be possible for me to be present at the session on that date.

Trusting you will have me excused, I remain,

Very truly yours,

LEWIS F. BRANDENSTEIN.

Also, presented the Annual Statement of the City Controller, containing departmental estimates of requirements, for the year 1917, together with a statement showing the present financial condition and operating results for the year 1916, as required by Acts of Assembly. (*Appendix No. 176.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented communications from the Overbrook Association and the Brewerytown Business Men's Association favoring an increase in number and salary of the policemen and firemen of the City of Philadelphia.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from property owners and lessees on Ninth street, between Market and Arch streets, requesting a wood block paving on said street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney presented the following:

Philadelphia, October 24, 1916.

TO HON. THOMAS B. SMITH, Mayor of Philadelphia, and
to the PRESIDENTS AND MEMBERS OF SELECT AND COMMON COUNCILS.

GENTLEMEN:—That governments obtain the money required for expenses by means of taxation is an axiom

almost as ancient as the world itself. We find the Provincial Council of Pennsylvania declaring in 1633 that "a publick tax on land ought to be raised to defray the publick charge." Nor is the chase for additional revenue a new game in Philadelphia. The Journal of Select Council for 1865, on page 242 (Appendix No. 58), contains the report of the Commissioners appointed to revise the tax laws relating to the City of Philadelphia. Although the occasion for their appointment was the Act of Assembly just passed, to wit, that of August 25, 1864, which conferred upon City Councils the power "to levy a tax for municipal purposes on all subjects of taxation specified by the 32d section of the Act of 29th of April, 1844, and to provide by ordinance a system for the assessment thereof, and for the collection of taxes thereon." The Commissioners declined to frame such an ordinance until further aid should be given by the State Legislature, venting their complaint against Sec. 32 of the Act of 1844 in these words:

"This section, to which the City is referred as the source of power to increase her revenue, is, in itself, in some particulars obscure; and in some of its objects not such as to bear much further pressure without driving away capital to the injury of the commercial business of the City, and consequently to impair its growth and the general prosperity. Its inefficient execution has, heretofore, been relied upon to diminish its power of evil, in seeming forgetfulness of the evil of keeping in existence a law which the people are constantly asked to respond to, but are never expected or required to obey. * * *

"There are obvious difficulties in attempting to enforce the section in question without further legislation. The first to be noticed is the fact that for twenty years the people have been educated to slight and disregard its provisions; and without further stringent enactments to enforce compliance with it, we cannot expect the officials or the people to volunteer to amend their delinquencies."

In contrasting the advisability and advantage of taxing both real and personal property, the report contained this statement:

“Real estate alone is fixed and immovable, and must bear the ultimate pressure of the local taxation. The question for its owners to consider and solve is how much taxation will capital bear without yielding to the pressure and passing away, and what will countervail that pressure? If capital is driven away, population goes with it, and is gathered round distant enterprises. Without capital, houses, warehouses, and manufactories cannot be built; and without populations these cannot be occupied, nor produce rent for taxes, nor can markets for the produce of the farmers be sustained. Capital must be retained to be the life of all business and enterprise, and to maintain the growth of cities and the price of its real estate. To be retained it must have its fair profit, and not be unduly taxed.”

Another committee appointed to prepare a bill for the more general distribution of taxation made its report to Councils on February 16, 1871. (Appendix to Journal of Select Council, No. 52, p. 258.) That committee made a historical and comprehensive study of the whole subject of taxation in and outside of Pennsylvania. Because they may be pertinent in our discussion I select a few excerpts from the report.

“The committee have considered the resolution as a request to prepare a bill for taxation of all personal property as now enforced in some of the States of the Union. To this, after an examination of the subject, there appeared so many grave objections that we cannot refrain from stating them for your consideration, in the belief that no tax bill is desired by you that will injure the business interests of the City, and stop or retard the growth of our industrial establishments.

“Capital is the life blood of trade and commerce, and the means by which manufacturing enterprise

is enabled to grow and prosper. Capital may be easily transferred from place to place, and it may be taken as a self-evident proposition that it will seek the point where, with equal security against loss, it will produce the largest profit. * * *

“Money withdrawn from active circulation in the business or improvement of a city, induced by taxation or any other cause, is an injury to the inhabitants of all conditions in life, whether they be employer or employed, not only depressing existing operations, but in causing a limitation of their extension and advancement. * * *

“It is fair to presume that most of the capital at interest held by citizens not engaged in active business will, under the pressure of taxation, seek compensation by flight or investment in the securities above indicated, and that the weight of the levy would fall, in this City, on capital in business.

“Will the owners of real estate be relieved of any of the weight of local taxation by imposing a part of the levy on the business of the City?

“Business and industrial establishments alone give value to City real estate. With it, the real estate can be made to produce revenue, maintain or increase in value. Without it, comes depreciation in values and want of occupation for large classes of people. If, therefore, a tax imposed on the business interests of the City would have an unfavorable effect upon its growth and prosperity, the transfer of a part of the tax levied to property in business would, in effect, be an injury to the owners of real estate. This, we think, would be the result. Of the capital in business in this City the largest interest is in manufacturing. To the prosperity of our industrial and manufacturing establishments, we have grown and maintained our position as the second city in the Union in the last decade. Thousands of families are maintained by that interest, and whilst we may attribute our advance in this respect, in part, to our favorable location, well-housed population, and the

fine agricultural country surrounding us, yet the ability of the manufacturer to compete in other markets with the manufacturer of Massachusetts and Connecticut is more largely owing to the fact that here the capital of the manufacturer is untaxed than has been generally supposed. * * *

“The aggregate of the establishments of these enterprising men has made our City the largest center of manufacturers in this country. The business which they have concentrated here gives employment to and sustains an important part of our population and materially assists in maintaining the value of real property. We cannot afford to try the experiment of imposing a tax on our manufacturing interests.
* * *

“The resolution of reference requests the committee to prepare a bill for the more general distribution of the burden of taxation, and this opens a very intricate subject for examination. All taxes imposed upon property, real or personal, will, if possible, be reimposed by the taxed upon the consumer of the article taxed, and, if practicable, a profit will be added to it. It is cheaper for consumers to pay the tax upon one than upon six articles, and it is a question not free from doubt if the burden can, under existing taxes, exempt loans, and the necessity for encouraging trade and commerce be more equally distributed than by our present subjects of levy. A tax on incomes would probably equalize the burden to a greater extent, but that has not been considered by us as an acceptable form of taxation. In cities, every person, either as tenant, owner or boarder, must contribute his or her portion in the taxation of real estate, and whilst absolute equality can never be obtained in rating it according to value, the occupant of a dwelling valued at \$60,000 pays sixty times the tax that is received from a \$1,000 house, and business contributes directly by the occupancy of stores, warehouses and factory buildings. * * *”

During the administration preceding the present, a committee was assembled to consider this question of taxation, but no printed report, either of its deliberations or recommendations, is at hand. The message, however, of the Mayor to Councils dated September 19, 1912, in its recapitulation suggested as positive, probable and possible sources of new revenue, equalization of real estate assessments, taxation of physical property of public service corporations, occupation tax, increase of one-half per cent. on City deposits, assessment and taxation of vault space under sidewalks, charge for use of City conduits, wharves, etc., automobile tax of 25 or 50 cents per horse power, tax on overhanging signs and household effects, etc.

Having thus, somewhat fully, narrated the history of previous efforts upon this all-absorbing problem, which has in the past, does at present, and will in the future occupy the very forefront of the public stage, let us examine for ourselves its present status.

For the purposes of our discussions I shall divide my subject into three parts, and consider them in order. I. Present Objects of Taxation. II. Councilmanic Privileges and Licenses. III. Suggestions for Additional Legislation.

I. PRESENT OBJECTS OF TAXATION.

The Constitution of Pennsylvania treats of the subject of taxation in Article IX, and in Section 1 provides: "All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws: But the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity."

Section 2 provides: "All laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above enumerated shall be void."

And in Section 7, Article III, the General Assembly is

prohibited from passing any local or special law exempting property from taxation.

In pursuance of the authority given by Section 1 of Article IX, the General Assembly, from time to time, has passed acts exempting from taxation the objects therein enumerated.

Since, then, municipal ability to levy taxes depends upon authority given by Acts of Assembly, it is necessary to examine the City's powers in the light of legislative grant. The guide post which starts us upon our journey is the heretofore referred to Act of August 25, 1864, P. L. 1030.

"The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia shall have the power to levy a tax for municipal purposes on all subjects of taxation specified by the Thirty-second Section of the Act of April Twenty-ninth, One thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and to provide, by ordinance, a system for the assessment thereof, and for the collection of taxes thereon." (Amended as to assessment by Act of March 14, 1865, P. L. 320, and supplements).

This Act specifically prescribes our course, and directs us at once to the first and most important station in our pilgrimage, the 32d Section of the Act of April 29, 1844, P. L. 499, which is as follows:

"AND WHEREAS, It is necessary that provision be made for the payment of the interest on the State debt: therefore be it further enacted that from and after the passage of this Act, all real estate, to wit: houses, lands, lots of ground, and ground rents, mills and manufactories of all kinds, furnaces, forges, bloomeries, distilleries, sugar houses, malt houses, breweries, tan yards, fisheries and ferries, wharves and all other real estate not exempt by law from taxation; also all personal estate, to wit: horses, mares, geldings, mules, and neat cattle over the age of four years; also all mortgages, money owing by solvent debtors, whether by promissory note, penal or single bill, bond or judgment; also, all articles of

agreements and accounts, bearing interest, owned or possessed by any person or persons whatsoever, except notes or bills for work and labor done and bank notes; also all shares of stock in any bank, institution or company, now or hereafter incorporated by or in pursuance of any law of this Commonwealth or of any other State or government; and on all shares of stock or weekly deposits in any unincorporated saving fund institution, and all public loans or stocks whatsoever, except those issued by this Commonwealth, and all money loaned or invested on interest in any other State; also all household furniture, including gold and silver plate, owned by any person or persons, corporation or corporations, when the value thereof shall exceed the sum of three hundred dollars; also all pleasure carriages, both of two or four wheels; salaries and emoluments of office; all offices, and posts of profit, professions, trades and occupations, except the occupation of farmers, together with all other things now taxable by the laws of this Commonwealth shall be valued and assessed and subject to taxation for the purposes in this Act mentioned, and for all State and County purposes whatsoever."

Some of the objects for taxation enumerated in the Act have since been eliminated by subsequent legislation. The Act of April 1, 1845, P. L. 280, almost completely removed ground rents, by providing for their being taxed only under certain contingencies, to wit, where there was "No provision made in the ground rent deed that the lessee shall pay the taxes on the said ground rent." The power to tax "the running or book accounts of merchants or others, for goods sold or work done," was taken out of the operation of the Act by the Act of March 5, 1847, P. L. 396. The Act of January 3, 1868, P. L. 1318, repealed so much of Section 32 of the Act of 1844 as imposed a tax for State or County purposes upon any stockholder holding in his individual capacity shares of stock in any institution or company incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania, which, in its corporate capacity, is

liable to, and pays into the State Treasury, the tax on capital stock imposed by the Act of April 12, 1859, P. L. 529. Under this Act, as well as under the Acts of June 8, 1891, P. L. 229, and of June 17, 1913, P. L. 507, when a corporation has paid the capital stock tax imposed by the laws of this Commonwealth, the shares of its stock are not liable to taxation in the hands of the holders. Household furniture, watches, and pleasure carriages were exempt by the Act of May 13, 1887, P. L. 114, and by the Act of June 3, 1915, P. L. 785, machinery and tools used in manufacturing in any mill or manufactory are not to be considered or included in determining the value of real estate.

Judicial interpretation, too, plays an important part in limiting the general scope of the Act of 1844. Our Appellate Courts have held that the property of a quasi-public corporation—or, as they have been called, corporations affected with a public interest—which is ordinarily and properly pertinent and indispensably necessary to the proper operation of the works of the corporation, and to the enjoyment and exercise of the privileges and franchises granted to it by its charter, is not included within the meaning “real estate” as used in the general tax laws, and hence is not subject to taxation for County, City, school or other local purposes, unless expressly made subject thereto.

These judicial decisions have placed in this exempt class the land and all buildings necessary for the operation of railroads, such as telegraph offices, round houses, engine houses, car sheds, blacksmith, carpenter and paint shops, store houses, tool houses, oil and waste houses, turn tables, coaling houses, docks and tipples, fuel stations, water stations and tanks, weigh scales, cattle yards, storing sheds, passenger and freight depots and platforms, together with houses for engineers and other employees. Similarly exempt is the property of a street or passenger railway company, *e. g.*, its tracks, cars, turn tables, land used for the offices of operating officers, stalling cars, barns, stables and power houses. Likewise, the land, buildings, machinery and appliances of gas, electric light or power, telegraph, telephone and water companies.

Being called upon to further define the limitations of the Act of 1844, the courts have declared that the salary of a minister of the Gospel employed by an incorporated religious society is not taxable as the salary of an office; but that the position of a minister of the Gospel employed at a salary by an unincorporated religious society is taxable as an occupation; that the term "all offices" in the Act includes the office of a Judge of the Common Pleas; that the Act is unconstitutional and void in so far as it assumes to authorize the assessment, levy and collection of a tax on offices and posts of profit held under the Constitution and laws of the United States; that the position of professor in a university is not taxable as an office, but as an occupation or profession; that offices, posts of profit, professions, trades and occupations are property within the meaning of Article IX, Section 8, of the State Constitution, limiting the amount of debt that may be incurred by a municipality, and are to be included in the aggregate valuation of taxable property upon which the percentage of indebtedness is to be calculated; that in assessing occupations, a tax of a sum certain may be imposed upon all occupations, or the taxing authorities may classify different occupations, and assess a uniform tax upon each class, but an occupation tax cannot be based upon the amount earned by each individual in his occupation, as such tax would violate the constitutional provision requiring uniformity of taxation; that under the guise of an "occupation" tax, an income tax cannot be levied nor collected by a city.

In connection with this last judicial utterance I deem it sufficiently important to quote from the opinion of Mr. Justice Paxson, in *re Banger's Appeal*, 109 Pa. 79, on pages 94 and 95:

"It may be asked how an occupation is to be assessed, and how is the constitutional mandate to be complied with? The answer is not difficult. A tax of \$100 upon all occupations would be uniform. We are at once confronted with the objection that it would be unjust to tax the occupation of a laborer the same amount as a merchant, a physician, or a

lawyer. The injustice of such an exercise of the taxing power may be conceded without in any degree impairing the force of the argument. The objection is one that appeals more to the legislative than to the judicial department of the government. The proper result may possibly be reached by classification. Thus, it may be that physicians, lawyers, clergymen, merchants, bankers, manufacturers, mechanics, etc., may be classified, and a uniform occupation tax assessed upon each class. But it will not do to tax one member of a class \$100 and another member of the same class \$1,000 upon the supposition, or even upon the fact, that the one earns more than the other. An "occupation" tax is peculiar in its character. It is not a tax upon property, but upon the pursuit which a man follows in order to acquire property and support his family. It is a tax upon income in the sense only that every other tax is a tax upon income; that is to say, it reduces a man's clear income by the precise amount of the tax. But it is an income tax in no sense. It will be time enough to assess an income tax when the Legislature authorizes it. At present no such authority exists."

Next in importance, as we pursue our investigation, is the Act of June 17, 1913, P. L. 507. Prior to the 1913 session of the Legislature, the classes of personal property hereinafter specified were taxable for State purposes at the rate of four mills on each dollar of the value thereof (three mills being returnable to the City). In that year a great number of our citizens, headed by the then Mayor of the City, went to Harrisburg to persuade the General Assembly to change the four-mill tax from a State to a County tax. The answer to their petition was the above-mentioned Act of June 17, 1913, wherein for county purposes, and, in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, a four mills tax is authorized upon the following:

"All mortgages, all moneys owing by solvent debtors, whether by promissory note, or penal or

single bill, bond or judgment; all articles of agreement and accounts bearing interest; all public loans whatsoever, except those issued by this Commonwealth or the United States, and those made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof; all loans issued by any corporation, association, company, or limited partnership, created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States, or of any other State or government, including car-trust securities and loans secured by bonds or any other form of certificate or evidence of indebtedness, whether the interest be included in the principal of the obligation or payable by the terms thereof, except such loans as are made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof; all shares of stock in any bank, corporation, association, company, or limited partnership, created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States, or of any other State or government, except shares of stock in any bank, corporation, or limited partnership that may be liable to a tax on its shares or its capital stock for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth, or relieved from the payment of tax on its shares or capital stock for State purposes by the laws of the Commonwealth, all moneys loaned or invested in other States, Territories, the District of Columbia, or foreign countries; all other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of the State; all stages, omnibuses, hacks, cabs, and other vehicles used in transporting passengers for hire, except steam- and street-passenger railway cars, owned, used, or possessed within this Commonwealth by any person or persons, or by any corporate body or bodies; all annuities yielding annually over two hundred dollars: *Provided*, That this section shall not apply to bank notes, or notes discounted or negotiated by any bank or banking institution, savings institution, or trust company; *And Provided*, That the provisions of this Act shall not apply to building and loan associations, or to savings institutions having no capital stock; but nothing

herein contained shall be construed to relieve or exempt individual depositors in savings institutions having no capital stock from any taxation to which such depositors may be subject; and if at any time, either now or hereafter, any persons, individuals, or bodies corporate have agreed or shall hereafter agree to issue his, their, or its securities, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, clear of and free from the said four mills tax herein provided for, or have agreed or shall hereafter agree to pay the same, nothing herein contained shall be construed as to relieve or exempt him, it, or them from paying the said four mills tax on any of the said such securities, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness as may be held, owned by, or owing to the said saving institution having no capital stock: *And Provided further*, That the provisions of this Act shall not apply to fire companies, firemen's relief associations, life or fire insurance corporations having no capital stock, secret and beneficial societies, labor unions and labor union relief associations, and all beneficial organizations paying sick or death benefits, or either or both, from funds received from voluntary contributions, or assessments upon members of such associations, societies, or unions: *And Provided further*, That corporations, limited partnerships, and joint-stock associations, liable to tax on capital stock for State purposes, shall not be required to make any report or pay any further tax, under this section, on the mortgages, bonds and other securities owned by them in their own right; but corporations, limited partnerships and joint-stock associations holding such securities as trustees, executors, administrators, guardians, or in any other manner, shall return and pay the tax imposed by this section upon all securities so held by them as in the case of individuals: *And Provided further*, That none of the classes of property made taxable by this section for county purposes, and, in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, shall be taxed or taxable for

any other local purpose or for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth.”

To summarize then, we have, for present purposes of general taxation, all real estate, excluding, of course, the exempt classes mentioned, horses and cattle, salaries and emoluments of office, all offices and posts of profit, professions, trades and occupations, except the occupation of farmer; and for a four-mill tax, the classes of personal property set forth in the Act of 1913.

In bringing to a conclusion the first of my three topics, I have at this time no particular suggestions nor recommendations to make. I have simply endeavored in a feeble way to inform you, and through you the citizens of Philadelphia, what classes of property are subject to taxation now. In other words, the subjects upon which Councils, on or before December 1st, must levy a tax rate for the year 1917, so that in our discussions and deliberations attention may be properly focused and practical results quickly obtained.

The Act of March 24, 1868, P. L. 444, provides for the division of lands, for the purpose of taxation, into three classes, to wit, city, rural or suburban and farm. This legislative mandate has been followed. Horses and cattle have been assessed, as have the various classes of personal property included in the 1913 Act. But whatever the cause, whether due to lack of necessary legislative machinery to efficiently execute, or the general undesirability of such form of taxation, nowhere have I found a record of an occupation tax being levied or collected in Philadelphia. I have noted for you the abhorrence of the committees of 1865 and 1871 for this type of taxation. The Mayor's message of 1912, to which I have also referred, suggested it, but apparently the disturbance thereby created was not sufficiently thunderous to arouse it from the Rip Van Winkle slumber into which it entered the very year of its birth, to wit, 1844.

II. COUNCILMANIC PRIVILEGES AND LICENSES.

Under this caption I shall briefly refer to some of those subjects from which the City by Acts of Assembly obtains,

or should obtain, additional present revenue, with or without Councilmanic action. As illustrating this class, we have the Act of May 20, 1913, P. L. 227, requiring a license to conduct, under certain circumstances, a business of selling damaged goods, goods of bankrupts or persons going out of business; the Act of May 20, 1913, P. L. 229, requiring licenses for places of amusement, dramatic, theatrical, operatic or vaudeville performances, circuses, menageries, museums or Wild West shows; the Act of July 2, 1895, P. L. 428, requiring licenses for public lodging houses; the Act of April 25, 1907, P. L. 106, requiring licenses for employment agencies; the Act of June 7, 1907, P. L. 441, requiring licenses for tenement houses; the Act of April 26, 1907, P. L. 123, requiring licenses for slaughter houses; the Act of May 24, 1887, P. L. 185, requiring licenses of transient retail dealers; the Act of May 24, 1887, P. L. 173, requiring licenses for conducting the business of a detective; the Act of June 3, 1915, P. L. 791, requiring licenses for dogs; the Act of April 15, 1891, P. L. 18, empowering Councils to fix the amount of license for wagons, carts, etc., used for the purpose of hawking, vending and peddling; and the enabling ordinance of Councils of April 11, 1893; the Act of February 23, 1870, requiring itinerant vendors to be licensed. The income received, or which should be received, from those sources just mentioned, while insufficient as a substitute for any of the subjects enumerated in the scale of general taxation, do swell the total fund when persistently and energetically pursued.

III. SUGGESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL LEGISLATION.

With this topic we leave the present and certain to browse in the pasture of hope and doubt. Many, if not all, of the suggestions and recommendations that I shall make for future legislative aid you have heard of before. Even though this be true, there seems to be no good reason why we should not actively re-enlist in support of them, so that Philadelphia may make herself heard and felt again in Harrisburg next year, demanding just, full and fair legislation. Forging to the front and demanding

consideration, perhaps because it affects real estate, or due to the venerableness of its claim, is the agitation for a new system of real estate assessment. I think it but proper upon the threshold of my discussion of this important subject to state that whatever I may have to say in this connection is not offered as an affront to the present personnel of the Board of Revision of Taxes. What I have to say I would say regardless of who composed the Board. I say it because I think it is right. The objection is to the system. I recognize as neither democratic nor progressive a system which removes and sets up, as far almost as conceivable from the public will, a department of government that, next to life itself, deals with a citizen's dearest possession—his home. A system which, after receiving the funds necessary for its existence, is neither subject nor answerable directly to the people nor their elected representatives in the executive and legislative branches of the municipal government. I am not now advancing as a substitute for the present system any one of the known new and modern forms for assessing real estate, nor entering into a controversy with the present Board as to their relative merits. My sole purpose at this time is to state facts from which you may draw your own conclusions as to the necessity for a change. It is contended by some that a change will add no new revenue to the City, because, they say, if you raise the assessment in one direction you must lower it in another, and the sum total will therefore be about the same as now. I am not ready to say "Amen" to that contention, for I verily believe that a readjustment of assessments upon a proper basis will add much to the City's present revenue. But, after all, that is a secondary consideration. What we are striving for primarily is equalization of taxation, so to state the above contention is but to advance the most cogent reason for a change. If the burden of taxation falls equally upon every one, who can justly complain? But no man should be compelled to bear any part of his neighbor's municipal obligations. And this he is obliged to do when his property is overassessed while that of his neighbor is underassessed. If all real

estate is properly, equitably and justly assessed, the tax rate, whatever it may be, descends equally upon all, the big as well as the little fellow, both stand equally upon the same common ground, and neither can complain. But, unfortunately, that is not the rule to-day, for it is common knowledge that many, many two- and three-story houses in all parts of our City are assessed up to their full value, and in many instances over, while real estate in the central and outlying districts is grossly under-assessed. This is neither fair nor legal, and I don't blame the fellow who is hurt for "kicking."

Let me note a few instances for your consideration, taken at random in different sections of our City, of record sales made, I am informed, within the last few months:

720 North Broad street, assessed at \$10,500, sold for \$25,000.

722 North Broad street, assessed at \$13,000, sold for \$29,000.

Building, southwest corner Broad and Melon streets, 80 x 87 feet, assessed at \$50,000, sold about four months ago for \$75,000; resold within a few weeks to present owner for \$90,000.

Premises southeast corner Broad and Poplar streets, lot 24 x 60 feet, assessed at \$12,000, sold recently for \$18,500, as indicated by the amount of revenue stamps on the deed.

Factory and sheds, 2221-23-25 North American street, assessed at \$8,000, recently sold at a price not disclosed, but subject to a mortgage of \$11,500.

Factory, Richmond and Tioga streets, sold for \$40,000, assessed at \$28,000.

Plot of ground, 93 x 166 feet, on southeast side of Queen lane, west of Krail street, sold by Manayunk National Bank to Thomas F. Rafferty, a builder, for \$13,000, assessed at \$2,000.

Plot of ground, northeast corner Allegheny avenue and Collins street, 214 feet in frontage, sold for \$20,000, assessed at \$14,000.

Premises, 600 to 666 North Broad street, 80 x 182

feet, assessed at \$92,000, sold recently for price reported to be about \$170,000; building was conveyed subject to mortgages of about \$145,000.

Stores, 2300-02-04 North Front street, assessed at \$33,000, sold within four months for \$59,500.

Factory, northeast corner Twenty-third and Turner streets, sold, as indicated by stamps on deed, for \$126,000, assessed at \$64,500.

Plot of ground, southeast corner Ridge avenue and Kingsley streets, assessed at \$9,000, sold, as indicated by revenue stamps on deed, at \$18,000.

Ground, at Eighty-third and Tinicum avenue, sold for price not disclosed, subject to a mortgage of \$46,000, assessed at \$30,000.

Residence of Frank G. McIlheny, on Lincoln drive, Germantown, sold to Oliver C. Pearson, stamps on deed indicated price of \$40,000; was assessed at \$17,000.

Store and dwelling, southwest corner Ninth and Carpenter streets, assessed at \$8,500; stamps on deed indicate selling price to have been \$14,000.

The old Y. M. C. A. building, at southeast corner Fifteenth and Chestnut streets, is assessed at \$1,000,000; owner, I am reliably informed, will not take less than \$2,000,000.

The Colonnade Hotel property, southwest corner Fifteenth and Chestnut streets, is assessed at \$900,000, and it is common knowledge among real estate brokers, I am informed, that the owner wants \$1,500,000 for it.

Lot, northwest corner Broad and Cherry streets, 137 x 180 feet, sold several months ago for \$800,000; assessed at \$665,000.

On unimproved ground held for high prices, many are the undervaluations. Hundreds of acres in Germantown owned by one large estate, assessed at acreage of from \$3,000 to \$5,000 an acre, residence sites sold from ground bring from \$12,000 to \$15,000 an acre and over.

The northeast corner Broad and Ruscomb streets, assessed at \$7,000, has been sold since the passage of the loan bills for \$15,000.

Ground. on Broad street below the Widener Home, assessed at \$80,000, the owner has declined an offer of \$120,000 for.

For the southeast corner Fifth and The Boulevard, assessed at \$53,000, a *bona fide* offer of \$100,000 has been made.

For the southeast corner of The Boulevard and C street, 13 acres, assessed at \$47,000, the owner has declined an offer of \$100,000.

The Boulevard and C street, assessed at \$41,000; selling price asked, \$100,000.

The Boulevard, east of Rising Sun avenue, assessed at \$9,000; owner declined an offer of \$17,000.

And so I might multiply the above illustrations if time, space and your patience would permit. Nor is this story of underassessments a new one. In 1903 an emphatic demand was made upon the Board of Revision of Taxes by the then Mayor for a more proper assessment, with a result that the assessments were corrected to an increase of 27 per cent. in one year. On January 20, 1913, the then Mayor of the City, in an address delivered to the Business Men's Associations of Philadelphia, gave thirty-two examples, taken from various wards in the City, where properties had been sold in excess of their assessed value. The total assessments in the examples cited were \$1,073,650, whereas the selling prices actually paid for the properties so assessed when sold amounted to \$1,996,750. The assessments were 54 per cent. short of the selling prices, and the effective tax rate was, therefore, about 81 cents instead of \$1.50. Another remarkable illustration of our defective present system is also found in that same address of what happens to the City when it has to buy for its own purposes. In November, 1911, by ordinance, certain properties, embracing the west side of Sixteenth street, from No. 108 to Cherry street, and almost all of the south side of Cherry street, west to Seventeenth street, were placed upon the City plan. Prior to this Councilmanic action the total assessment of these properties was \$154,900. Immediately after being

placed upon the City plan the Board of Revision of Taxes jumped the total assessment to \$245,500, or from 33 1/3 per cent. to 300 per cent., while they permitted the assessments of the properties on Cherry street, from Sixteenth street east to Fifteenth street, nearer to Broad street, to remain absolutely the same from 1911 to 1912. I need hardly take the time to cite cases of overassessment in Philadelphia. If I were to send out a twenty-four hour call for all realty owners to assemble at my office or at the City Hall who have sold or now hold properties assessed for more than they received, or is now offered for them, I wager a small-sized army would respond.

Under the present system, unknown elsewhere, neither the Mayor nor Councils have anything to do with it except provide the money for its existence. They have not even the power to investigate the Board of Revision of Taxes. The Supreme Court of our State, in the case of *Selig vs. Philadelphia*, 232 Pa. 309 (1911), declared that that was practically the effect of the Act of March 14, 1865, P. L. 320, and its supplements. By Acts of Assembly in all the second- and third-class cities of this State the entire assessing machinery is regulated by Councils. Personally, I cannot see why this all-important branch of our municipal life should continue to be kept so far removed from the personal touch of our citizens. Its control, regulation and maintenance should be placed at once in the hands of those who are directly responsible to the people, and upon whom they can call for an account of their stewardship.

The second- and third-class cities, by the aid of the Legislature, have made another advance in the solution of assessment problems; they have wiped out the threefold classification of real estate, to wit, built-up, suburban and rural or agricultural. And there seems to be no good reason why we should not ask the Legislature of 1917 to do the same for us.

One other suggestion commends itself to me as respects future legislative action upon real estate, and that is the demand for an Act that will take out of the exempt class and place in the taxable arena the real estate of *quasi-*

public corporations, which, as I have heretofore explained at some length, are declared by judicial decision to be untaxable.

I think I have now exhausted the real estate vein, and will proceed to explore and develop new personal property claims. Although hardly personal estate, I consider the present-day ground rent, as respects money at interest, practically a mortgage. Under the Act of 1913, heretofore referred to, a four-mill tax is levied upon a mortgage, while no tax is levied upon the ground rent. Quick to notice this anomaly, real estate operative builders and others have created ground rents instead of mortgages, with a corresponding loss of income to the City. Taxation when levied upon the real estate, and upon the mortgage or ground rent secured thereon, is obnoxious as double taxation, but either one of two courses is just: either both the mortgage and ground rent ought to be taxed or the tax repealed on the mortgage.

I think former City Solicitor Ryan was right when, in 1915, he advocated an Act for the taxing of money at interest held by certain of the companies exempt by the personal property Act of 1913, and an Act relieving the City of the necessity of paying a tax to the State upon bonds issued by it. The passage of similar Acts in 1917 would net the City, in all probability, nearly \$2,000,000 of additional revenue.

There are two forms of taxation, both local in their character, now collected by the State, which should by appropriate acts of Assembly be transferred to the respective counties, to wit, the present mercantile license tax and the collateral inheritance tax. The net income from both of these sources, while variable, is certain of collection, and would make a substantial addition to the City's present income.

Under and by virtue of the Act of 1844, the horse has been and is a subject of taxation. I see no reason why his legitimate successor, the automobile, should not likewise become a subject for local taxation, and to make it so would help to swell the grand total of additional revenue.

Probably under the old "welfare and comfort" Acts of

1789, 1790 and 1838, and if not by them, by a new and comprehensive Act, the City by ordinance could provide revenue by licensing or taxing a variety of subjects, such as shows and exhibits of various kinds, tunnels and vaults, signs, private bridgeways and many other special privileges extended by the City and from which it receives no return in revenue.

In connection with personal property taxes, if they are to prevail, then their assessment and collection should be earnestly and diligently pursued in a business-like way, and no one who is liable for these taxes should escape their payment. Unless this species of taxation is rigorously enforced it becomes a farce. There is to-day current an opinion that the collection of these personal taxes cannot be enforced; that while the returns of personal property may be voluntarily or involuntarily made, if the person taxed does not pay, there is no efficient machinery given to any one to sue or force payment. If such be the case, then proper and efficient machinery cannot be supplied too quickly.

I realize that I have not completely covered the almost interminable mass of taxable subjects, but I think I have struck the high spots, and I am anxious that you should have this product, imperfect as it is, as a help in the discussion that will ensue preparatory to fixing the tax rate of 1917. Being a real estate owner myself, I want to see a low tax rate, but I have taken my stand against a continuation of the iniquitous practice of long-term loans to pay for current needs. I neither want my children to pay for the bread I am now eating, nor do I want to prescribe for the other fellow medicine which I am not ready and willing to take myself.

Hoping this may be of the service intended, I am,

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH P. GAFFNEY,

Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Mr. O'Brien offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley running from Twenty-

sixth to Taney street, between Pine and Lombard streets, in the Seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. C. F. Kelley (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting the consent of Councils to extend the boundaries of the Greenmount Cemetery Company in the rural portion of the Thirty-third and Forty-second Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Williams read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Miller street, from East Montgomery avenue to East Berks street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McGurk read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Mascher street, from Fontaine to Norris street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Sowers read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light in front of 1336 Oxford street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Poplar street, from Sixth to Broad street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Tower street, from Pennsdale to Roxborough street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Anderson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Crowson street, from Locust avenue to Woodlawn street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Morris street, from Logan street to Roberts avenue; from Abbottsford avenue to Logan street; and from Abbottsford avenue to Roberts avenue; Abbottsford avenue, from McKean to Morris street; Apsley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Fernhill road, from Abbottsford avenue to Berkley street; and Berkley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Levis offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Napa street, from Hamilton to Spring Garden street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Fleming offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Chief of the Bureau of City Property, relative to creating a position as watchman in the Prothonotary's office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, relative to rent of said Department offices in the Bourse Building for the year 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Municipal Court, relative to an additional appropriation for the Domestic Relations Court.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Receiver of Taxes, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916, for labor, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, relative to providing for a Chief Engineer at the Wentz Farm Pumping Station.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from John S. McQuade, contractor and builder, requesting an increase in salary of Martin E. Hibbs, structural engineer, Bureau of Building Inspection.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Chief Clerk of Select Council, asking for an additional appropriation for printing and binding Manuals of Councils for the year 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Chief Clerk of Select Council, asking for an increase in salary of the Assistant Messenger of Select Council.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction to the highest bidder City Ice Boat No. 1."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan for general municipal purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of the lease of the lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware County and known as the Lazaretto, from the Philadelphia School of Aviation to the Government of the United States."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1917."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the City Controller to transfer certain funds in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works and Supplies for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1917,

as a contribution to the support and maintenance of the Museum of the University of Pennsylvania."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of City Transit, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to transfer funds from the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Gas) to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property)."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor for miscellaneous expenses of the Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in different districts of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same and the payment of Sinking Fund and interest charges out of the sixty-seven million one hundred thousand (\$67,100,000) dollar loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lewis read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Sedgley avenue, from Ridge avenue to Susquehanna avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dougherty read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Schulz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Luzerne street, forty (40) feet wide, east of Rising Sun avenue, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gray offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in driveway running from Oxford to Nassau street, about two hundred and eighty (280) feet east of Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to improve, develop and furnish with the necessary apparatus and appurtenances Kingsessing Recreation Center, Fifty-first street and Chester avenue, and Stenton Park Playground, Sixteenth street and Wyoming avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of a certain plot of ground, situate in the Fortieth Ward, from the Board of Recreation to the Fairmount Park Commission."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street; and Ogontz avenue, from Cheltenham avenue to City line.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street; and Tenth street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Wingohocking street, between Ninth street and The Boulevard."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Ogontz avenue, from Cheltenham avenue to City line; Wyoming avenue, from Ninth to Tenth street; and Somerville avenue, from Eleventh street to Wagner avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Culbert offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Benham read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a wagon scale, covered by an open shelter shed, on Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Carlisle street, between Venango and Tioga streets, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Carson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Eighteenth street, from Eric avenue to Butler street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled: "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Mathay read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Fifty-seventh street, from Willows avenue to Florence avenue; and Eighty-second street, from Bartram to Brewster street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Le Gierse offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 875 North Markoe street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Forty-ninth street, from Viola to Parkside avenue, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Frankenfield read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Forty-seventh street, from Aspen to Brown street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-fourth Ward: Forty-seventh street, from Aspen to Brown street; and Brown street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-fourth Ward: Forty-seventh street, from Aspen to Brown street; and Brown street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-fourth Ward: Forty-seventh street, from Aspen to Brown street; and Brown street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on N street under bridge of Pennsylvania Railroad, between Kensington and Frankford avenues, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Erie avenue, from Richmond to Gaul street, and from Frankford avenue to Amber street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Erie Avenue, from Frankford avenue to Amber street; and Albright street, from Frankford avenue to Amber street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Erie avenue, Albright and Buckius streets, from Frankford avenue to Amber street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Erie avenue, Albright and Buckius streets, from Frankford avenue to Amber street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Crowe offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Thompson read in place bills to open the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Osage, Larchwood and Pine streets, from Forty-seventh to Forty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Barnes read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the intersection of Fifty-seventh and Hadfield streets, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary and City Treasurer, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 177.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works and Board of Recreation, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 178.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street." (*Appendix No. 179.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hedge, Herbert, Marshall and Morris streets and Abbotsford avenue, and sidewalk on Olney avenue." (*Appendix No. 180.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of main sewers in Sanger and Edmund streets, The Boulevard and in Summerdale avenue, and repealing a portion of ordinance approved July 27, 1916, authorizing the construction of main sewers in Fifty-first, Sanger and Tulip streets." (*Appendix No. 181.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend

an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers." (*Appendix No. 182.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Walter, Chairman of the Committee on Gas, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "Resolution authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations." (*Appendix No. 183.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Frankenfield offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 180, Vol. I*) entitled 'An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.'" (*Appendix No. 184.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grant permission to Wm. Steele & Sons Company for the construction and maintenance for a period of not more than one year of a chute for the conveying of concrete across Reed street, approximately 150 feet east of Twenty-sixth street, and directing the presentation of the resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 185.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee on State legislation affecting the City of Philadelphia, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 186.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis,

List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 157) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller and Law, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out after the words and figures "From Item 33 (f)" the following: "Support and maintenance Old Guard, etc.," and inserting in lieu thereof "burial of indigent soldiers, sailors, etc."

At end of "Bureau of Highways," by inserting the following: "*Provided*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants drawn against this amount in payment of said watchmen upon bills rendered by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad."

Which was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the word "Law," the words "and Inspectors of the County Prisons."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 158) entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the selection of five banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwiek, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 159) entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the Olney Bank as a depository of the City funds."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That said bank first pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for printing and advertising this ordinance."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 160) entitled "An Ordinance relieving the Alumnæ Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls from payment of rental for City property used as athletic field."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy,

McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 88) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Ardleigh, Bam-

brey, Clearfield, Etting, Fawn, Herbert, Langdon, Latona, Loudon, Manton and Oxford streets, Columbia and Lancaster avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding the following words: "Sixty-eighth avenue, from the present sewer west of Fifteenth street to a point about eighty (80) feet west of Sydenham street, and in Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to a point about two hundred and eighty-two (282) feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by adding the words: "Sixty-eighth avenue and Sydenham street."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers,

Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 165) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan of Guenther, Herbert, Luray, Monmouth, Thelma and Watkins streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 166) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 167) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street, and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh street to Etting street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, LeGierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 168) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street, University avenue and Vintage avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gal-

lagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meekert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 169) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan and vacating Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley,* Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Galagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meekert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson,

Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (*Appendix No. 187.*)

The message was read.

Mr. Frankenfield moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was finally passed.

On which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carsou, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—Mr. Sowers, 1.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of the bill.

Also, moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with bill (Appendix No. 35) annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Citizens Passenger Railway Company, The Frankford and Southwark Philadelphia City Passenger Railroad Company and their lessee, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, to construct, maintain and operate a curve at Tenth and Lombard streets," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee with bill (Appendix No. 36) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Western Union Telegraph Company and its subsidiary and affiliated companies to construct manholes and conduits in and under certain streets and to lay therein cables, wires and electrical conductors for telegraphic purposes," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Carsor, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Lenders, Lewis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson,

Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street.” (Appendix No. 88.)

“An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Law and Inspectors of the County Prisons, for the year 1916.” (Appendix No. 157.)

“An Ordinance to provide for the selection of five banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.” (Appendix No. 158.)

“An Ordinance designating and approving The Olney Bank as a depository of the City funds.” (Appendix No. 159.)

“An Ordinance relieving the Alumnae Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls from payment of rental for City property used as athletic field.” (Appendix No. 160.)

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue.” (Appendix No. 163.)

“An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Ardleigh, Bambrey, Clearfield, Etting, Fawn, Herbert, Langdon, Latona, Loudon, Manton and Oxford streets; Columbia and Lancaster avenues; Sixty-eighth avenue and Sydenham street.” (Appendix No. 164.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan of Guenther, Herlert, Luray, Monmouth, Thelma and Watkins streets." (Appendix No. 165.)

"An Ordinance to revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh street and Twelfth street." (Appendix No. 166.)

"An Ordinance to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street; and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh street to Etting street." (Appendix No. 167.)

"An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street, University avenue and Vintage avenue." (Appendix No. 168.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan and vacating Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street." (Appendix No. 169.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobbs Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (Appendix No. 184.)

"Resolution to grant permission to Wm. Steele & Sons Company for the construction and maintenance for a period of not more than one year of a chute for the conveying of concrete across Reed street, approximately 150 feet east of Twenty-sixth street, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 185.)

Mr. O'Brien moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, November 16, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Lock moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the City Treasurer, naming, in compliance with ordinance approved November 15, 1916, the Corn Exchange National Bank as a depository in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented communications from the West Tioga Building and Loan Association and from Dr. E. L. Vansant, protesting against an increase in the tax rate for 1917.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Sherwood Improvement Association, favoring a reduction in the price of gas and protesting against an increase in the tax rate for 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning, with his approval, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 157) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Law and Inspectors of the County Prisons, for the year 1916," except the following items:

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 2 (c). Printing, five hundred dollars.	\$500
Item 2 (f). Advertising, two hundred dollars	200
Item 14. Telephone service, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 18 (b). Maintenance of automobiles, four hundred dollars	400
Item 38. Batteries, register paper, etc., two thousand dollars	2,000

thereby eliminating the five thousand one hundred (5,100) dollars transferred from Department of Supplies (Electrical Bureau), Item 39, lumber, etc., (*Appendix No. 188.*)

The message was read.

The question being: Shall the items stand, notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor?

Mr. Gaffney moved that the message and items be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented bills to repave the following streets in the Ninth Ward: Ranstead street, from Twenty-

second to Twenty-third street; and Ninth street, from Spruce to Arch street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer certain moneys from the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McCloskey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to relocate about sixty-nine (69) feet to the south their existing siding now connecting their westernmost track on Front street with the property of the H. B. Pancoast Company northeast of Ellen street, in the Sixteenth Ward, and to maintain and operate the same in its new location."

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Mr. C. F. Kelley (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved August 22, 1915, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Walter read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light under the bridge at Ninth and Oxford streets, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. J. Roberts read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Roberts and Pulaski avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance creating a new police district, to be known as the Forty-second Police District, embracing that portion of the Twenty-second Ward bounded by Upsal street, Stenton avenue, City line and Wissahickon avenue, and au-

thorizing the appointment of a lieutenant, three street sergeants, three house sergeants, and fifty patrolmen in said district, and to provide for the payment of the salaries of the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Lamberton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance extending to Ellis Post No. 6, G. A. R., the right to use the auditorium on the second floor of Town Hall, Germantown, as and for a meeting place and record room."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Greene street, from Cliveden street to Chestnut Hill Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad right-of-way, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Levis offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps northeast corner Lewis and Cambridge streets, and rear 4108 Pierce street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McConnell offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamp rear 3813 Powelton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation to pay watchmen in the Bureau of Highways, Schuylkill River East Side Railway Company, for the year 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, request-

ing certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Health for the feeble-minded at Byberry.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies (Charities) and Bureau of Health, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Health for the Philadelphia Institute for the Feeble-minded at Byberry.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916, for miscellaneous expenses.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Treasurer, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916, to pay certain bills, such as ice, etc.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the District Attorney, requesting a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Registration Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916, for extra clerk hire; also overtime work.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Director's office, to pay bill of the Philadelphia Item for advertising in 1913."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1916, for stationery, printing and postage.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a transfer in loan funds appropriated to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, City Commissioners, Sheriff, City Treasurer and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of certain moneys in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to

draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park; and providing for the payment of the said architect."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution requesting the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its annual Automobile Show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month of each year during the next four years, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Stockley read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward: North side of Moyamensing avenue, from Broad to Seventeenth street; Seventeenth street, from Johnston street to Moyamensing avenue; Johnston street, from Seventeenth to Nineteenth street; Oregon avenue, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street; Mole street and Sixteenth street, from Oregon avenue to Moyamensing avenue; Eighteenth street and Cleveland avenue, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Mole street, from Oregon avenue to Moyamensing avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Tyson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Walnut street, from Thirty-third street to Woodland avenue, and Woodland avenue, from Walnut to Spruce street, between the tracks of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, with wood blocks."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McKinney read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of a certain plot of ground situate in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the City of Philadelphia from the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, to the Board of Recreation for park and playground purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. E. F. Roberts read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Wills-Jones Company to construct a vault under the sidewalk on the east side of Twenty-sixth street, north of Jefferson street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Lamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Twenty-sixth street, from South to Bainbridge street, in the Thirtieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baumgaertel read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Schulz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp near 3516 Water street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dougherty read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open I street, from Ontario street to a point 60 feet north (to full width), in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gray read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade the south half of City avenue, from Morris property to Cobbs creek, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of City avenue, over the West Indian creek."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize south half of City avenue, from Morris property to Cobbs creek, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Brandenstein read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Shelbourne street, from Princeton street to Tyson avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, to reimburse Hart & Bailey for grading on Sixteenth street, from Wyoming avenue to Louden street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation for improvement and development of certain playgrounds and recreation centers under its jurisdiction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to improve and develop the playground and recreation center at Twenty-second and Sedgley avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the name of Hicks street, from Olney avenue to Chew street, to 'Sydenham' street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Magnolia and Homer streets, from Washington lane to Duval street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets, in the Forty-second Ward: Seventeenth street, from Rusecomb street to Lindley avenue; and Chew street, from Sixteenth to Sydenham street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Magnolia and Homer streets, from Washington lane to Duval street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Magnolia and Homer streets, from Washington lane to Duval street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Magnolia and Homer streets, from Washington lane to Duval street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Ogontz avenue, from Church lane to Olney avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Orr and Bellevue streets, from Francis to Wylie street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Culbert read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Nineteenth street, midway

between Lehigh avenue and Somerset street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Benham read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Crawford street, from Henry to Cresson street; and Scott's lane, from Queen lane to Cresson street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mathay offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in east side of Marsden street, from Magee to Hellerman street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade east side of Marsden street, from Magee to Hellerman street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Chew street, from York road to Mole street, and from Broad to Hicks street; and Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Rising Sun avenue, from Tabor street to Olney avenue; and Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Chew street, from Broad to Hicks street; Ashdale street, from Front to Mascher street; Fair-

hill street, from Lindley avenue to The Boulevard; Ruscomb and Albanus streets, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; Broad, Carlisle, Hicks and Fifteenth streets, from Olney avenue to Chew street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Scholes read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Ninth street, from Somerset street to Lehigh avenue, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. Schwarz presented a communication from the Coroner, requesting a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Burch offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same and the payment of sinking fund and interest charges out of the \$67,100.000 loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority." (*Appendix No. 189.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction to the highest bidder City Ice Boat No. 1." (*Appendix No. 190.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to approve the transfer of a certain lease of a lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware County, in the State of Pennsylvania, and known as the 'Lazaretto,' from the Philadelphia School of Aviation, the present lessee, to the United States Government." (*Appendix No. 191.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit The Home Life Insurance Company to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of 504 and 506 Walnut street." (*Appendix No. 192.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street." (*Appendix No. 193.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Miller Lock Company to lay and maintain a pipe under and across Tacony street, west of Orthodox street, and to lay and maintain a pipe in the sidewalk in front of their property on the west side of Tacony street, west of Orthodox street." (*Appendix No. 194.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a wagon scale on Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 195.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,' approved July 31, 1916." (*Appendix No. 196.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street,' approved August 15, 1916." (*Appendix No. 197.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling street to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (*Appendix No. 198.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Joint Special Committee to investigate meter rates and charges for water, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance regulating appliance and meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter, and authorizing the installation of meters." (*Appendix No. 199.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue.'" (*Appendix No. 200.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Committee on Art." (*Appendix No. 201.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Borthwick offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John S. Miller to lay a temporary drain in Dorset street, from Chew street to a point about three hundred (300) feet northeast of Chew street." (*Appendix No. 202.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the northeast side of McCallum street, from a point two hundred and forty-seven (247) feet nine and one-quarter ($9\frac{1}{4}$) inches northwest of Lincoln avenue to the sewer in Lincoln avenue." (*Appendix No. 203.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the southwest side of McCallum street, from a point one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet five and three-eighths

(5 $\frac{3}{4}$) inches northwest of Westview avenue to the sewer in Westview avenue." (*Appendix No. 204.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Burch offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit M. Haupt to lay a temporary drain in the west side of Fifty-ninth street, from about one hundred (100) feet north of Locust street to a connection with the present sewer at Locust street." (*Appendix No. 205.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works to issue permits for breaking streets during the months of December, 1916, and January and February, 1917, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 206.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Danee, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley,

G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 177) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary and City Treasurer, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend on page 406 by striking out the words and figures "twelve thousand three hundred and fifty (12,350)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Three thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine (3,779) dollars."

Further amend by inserting (page 407) before the words "to the following" the following: "City Treasurer, from Item 4 (c) Sinking Fund, etc., eight thousand five hundred and seventy-one (8,571) dollars."

By adding at the end of section the following:

"SECT. 2. The City Controller is also authorized to make the following transfers: Department of Supplies (Electrical), from Item 39 (200 loan), lumber, etc., five thousand one hundred (5,100) dollars; Department of

Law, from Item 1 (b) (200 loan), witness fees, two thousand (2,000) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 2 (e) (200 loan). Printing, five hundred dollars	\$500
Item 2 (f) (200 loan). Advertising, two hundred dollars	200
Item 14 (200 loan). Telephone service, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 18 (b) (200 loan). Maintenance of automobile, four hundred dollars	400

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 38 (200 loan). Batteries, register paper, etc., two thousand dollars.....	\$2,000
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DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Item 1 (c) (200 loan). Prothonotary's costs, etc., one thousand five hundred dollars....	\$1,500
Item 3 (a) (200 loan). Stationery, etc., five hundred dollars	500"

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the word "Prothonotary" the word "Law."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 178) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works and Board of Recreation, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray,

Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 63) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchen's lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan,

J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hedge, Herbert, Marshall and Morris streets and Abbottsford avenue, and sidewalk on Olney avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 181) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of main sewers in Sanger and Edmund streets, across The Boulevard and in Summerdale avenue, and repealing a portion of ordinance approved July 27, 1916, authorizing the construction of main sewers in Fifty-first, Sanger and Tulip streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 182) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn. Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Costello moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council resolution (Appendix No. 183) entitled

"Resolution authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations."

Which was agreed to.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The Secretary to the Mayor was again introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue." (*Appendix No. 207.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 41) annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the payment of certain electric lights herein authorized," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart,

Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same committee, with bill (Appendix No. 42) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in various wards, and relocate certain other lights herein specified," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell,

McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 43) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Isidore Winnocur to lay a temporary drain in the east side of Mervine street, from sewer in Wagner avenue to a point about 214 feet north."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 47) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John C. McAvoy to lay a temporary drain in west side of Fifty-second street, from present drain about 180 feet north of Overbrook avenue to a point 500 feet north of Overbrook avenue."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchen's lane." (Appendix No. 63.)

"An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary, Law and City Treasurer, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 177.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works and Board of Recreation, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 178.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hedge, Herbert, Marshall and Morris streets and Abbottsford avenue and sidewalk on Olney avenue." (Appendix No. 180.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of main sewers in Sanger and Edmund streets, across The Boulevard and in Summerdale avenue, and repealing a portion of ordinance approved July 27, 1916, authorizing the construction of main sewers in Fifty-first, Sanger and Tulip streets." (Appendix No. 181.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers." (Appendix No. 182.)

"Resolution authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations." (Appendix No. 183.)

"Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee on State Legislation affecting the City of Philadelphia, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 186.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Com-

mercial avenue to Snyder avenue.' " (Appendix No. 200.)

"Resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Committee on Art." (Appendix No. 201.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John S. Miller to lay a temporary drain in Dorset street, from Chew street to a point about 300 feet northeast of Chew street." (Appendix No. 202.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the northeast side of McCallum street, from a point 247 feet $9\frac{1}{4}$ inches northwest of Lincoln avenue to the sewer in Lincoln avenue." (Appendix No. 203.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the southwest side of McCallum street, from a point 148 feet $5\frac{3}{4}$ inches northwest of Westview avenue to the sewer in Westview avenue." (Appendix No. 204.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit M. Haupt to lay a temporary drain in the west side of Fifty-ninth street, from about 100 feet north of Locust street to a connection with the present sewer at Locust street." (Appendix No. 205.)

"Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works to issue permits for breaking streets during the months of December, 1916, January and February, 1917, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 206.)

Also, informed Common Council that the President of Select Council had appointed Mr. Isaac D. Hetzell a member of the Committee on Finance, vice Thomas J. Morton, M.D., deceased.

Mr. Tyson moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, November 23, 1916.

Common Council met, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, November 20, 1916.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Thursday, November 23d, at 3 P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD B. GLEASON,

President.

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Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. J. Roberts moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

EDWARD B. GLEASON, M. D.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to a previous engagement it will be impossible for me to attend the meeting of Common Council on Thursday, November 23d.

Kindly have me excused.

Very truly yours,
LOUIS C. MICHAELSEN.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

EDWARD B. GLEASON, M. D.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending the meeting of Common Council on Thursday, November 23d, on account of illness.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM J. BENHAM.

Also, presented communications from the Philadelphia Real Estate Board and the North Philadelphia Real Estate Brokers' Association, protesting against an increase in the tax rate for 1917.

Which were read, and laid on the table.

Also, presented a communication from the Musicians' Union of Pennsylvania, requesting the hiring of none but Philadelphia bands to participate in the Mummers' parade on January 1, 1917.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on New Year Celebration.

Mr. McGurk read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to H. B. Cassell to unload cars

on American street, between Jefferson street and Columbia avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the intersections of Upsal street and Park Line Drive and Cliveden street and Park Line Drive, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Anderson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating tract of ground, bounded by Cresheim Valley Drive, Willow Grove avenue and Ardleigh street, as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fairmount Park.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, to sell lot of ground on the southwest side of Rittenhouse street, about one hundred and seventeen feet southwest of Germantown avenue, now owned by the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Carpenter street and Lincoln Drive, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Hartwell lane, from Ardleigh street to Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; and Anderson street, from Southampton avenue to Hartwell avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the follow-

ing streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Hartwell lane, from Ardleigh street to Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; and Anderson street, from Southampton avenue to Hartwell avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Hartwell avenue, from Ardleigh street to Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; and Anderson street, from Southampton avenue to Hartwell avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Hartwell avenue, from Ardleigh street to Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; and Anderson street, from Southampton avenue to Hartwell avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward on the City plan: West Ashmead Place, from Germantown avenue to Greene street; and Para street, to a width of 45 feet, from Ardleigh street to Cresheim Valley Drive.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Unopened portion of Wyndmoor street, from Benezet street to Willow Grove avenue; Anderson street, from Southampton avenue to Hartwell avenue; intersection of Hartwell avenue, Anderson street and Cresheim Valley Drive; and Hartwell avenue, from Ardleigh street to Philadelphia and Reading Railroad.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Baumgaertel read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the regrading of Tioga street, from E to G street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dougherty read in place bills to repave F and G streets, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Thirty-third Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Moore street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Wood street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sixty-ninth street, from Girard avenue to Malvern avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sanger street, from Tacony to Edmund street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mathay read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Chelwynde avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-second street, in the Fortieth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Tulip street, from Howell to Comly street, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. List read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in east side of Twenty-second street, south of Geary street, in the Forty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-eighth Ward on the City plan: Lambert and Woodstock streets, from Snyder avenue to Passyunk avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1917." (*Appendix No. 208.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make topographical survey, and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto." (*Appendix No. 209.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District." (*Appendix No. 210.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street." (*Appendix No. 211.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place upon City plan Hollywood, Myrtlewood and Sydenham streets." (*Appendix No. 212.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved August 22, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street, and Lansdowne avenue.'" (*Appendix No. 213.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William O. Mahon to lay a temporary drain in the east side of Broad street from a point 225 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue north to a point 314 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue north, and thence across Broad street to a connection with present sewer in the west side thereof." (*Appendix No. 214.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 164, Vol. I*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty,

Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 26) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street, to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk,

McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 142) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Twenty-first street, from Kemble street to Nedro avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson,

Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 143) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 161) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out after the word "*Provided*," in the eighth line, the words, "That Francis B. J. Branagan shall dedicate so much of the bed of said street as is owned by him," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That before said notice shall be issued the said street shall be dedicated or a bond or agreement filed, in form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages or claims for damages that may arise by reason of the said opening."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words "deed of dedication," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "deed, bond or agreement."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Branden-

stein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 162) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting at the end the following: "*Provided*, That before said notice shall be issued the said street shall be dedicated or a bond or agreement filed, in form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages or claims for damages that may arise by reason of the said opening."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting at the beginning of the same the following: "Upon the filing of the deeds, bond or agreement referred to in Section 1."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 179) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Flening, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 193) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their properties, 1217-1239 Callowhill street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Branden-

stein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 197) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street,' approved August 15, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy,

McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 198) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling street to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Crowe, Costello, Culbert, Danee, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F.

Roberts, J. Roberts, Scholes. C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Dance moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Tuesday, November 28, 1916.

Common Council met pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Tuesday, November 28th, at 3 P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours.

EDWARD B. GLEASON,

President.

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Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keene, Keeley, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shetter, Sheehan, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. McGuigan moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The following certificates of election were read:

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 25, 1916.

HARRY M. MILLER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1916, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the First Ward to supply vacancy.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 25, 1916.

HARRY C. ROHLFING.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1916, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Second Ward to supply vacancy.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

Messrs. Miller and Rohlfing appeared before the Clerk's desk, when the oath of office was administered to them by Hon. William Gray Knowles, Judge of the Municipal Court.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Judge Knowles for his kindness in administering the oath of office to the newly elected members.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, November 28, 1916.

EDWARD B. GLEASON, M. D.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending to-day's

meeting of Common Council, on account of the death of my father.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM J. BENHAM.

Also, announced the appointment of Mr. H. M. Miller on the Committees on Water, Street Cleaning, Prisons and Corrections and Printing and Supplies, and Mr. Rohlfing on the Committees on City Property and Street Cleaning, to fill vacancies.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor returning with his approval Common Council bill (Appendix No. 177) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary, Law and City Treasurer, for the year 1916," except the following items:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 2 (a). Transportation, etc., one hundred and seventy-five dollars..... \$175

Item 11 (a). Transportation, two hundred and twenty-five dollars..... 225

thereby eliminating the four hundred (400) dollars transferred from the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Item 12, Repairs to automobiles. (*Appendix No. 215.*)

The message was read.

The question being, Shall the items stand, notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?

Mr. Gaffney moved that the message and items be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, moved that when Common Council adjourn this day, it shall be until Wednesday, November 29, 1916, at 2.30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McCarthy read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to remove the plot on Spring Garden street, between Twelfth and Broad streets, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. C. F. Kelley (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the enlargement of the intersection of Walnut street, Woodland avenue and Thirty-fourth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer in Smick street, from Ripka avenue to Leverington avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. Roberts read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, relative to sources of additional revenue.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, relative to sources of additional revenue.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, submitting a complete list of all charges made by said Department for permits, licenses, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Elevator Inspection, submitting a schedule of proposed changes in fees of said Bureau.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Fire Marshal, submitting a schedule of proposed fees, licenses and increases of moving picture places and moving picture operators.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Health, relative to fees for house drainage plans.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an appropriation to the Bureau of Charities, for repairs to one of the boilers at Spring Hill (Brown's Farm).

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Mayor, relative to sources of additional revenue.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, relative to proposed increases in the revenue of the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Solicitor, showing the present charges for the preparation of bonds, contracts and agreements.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Civil Service Commission, requesting a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety), as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly approved May 5, 1899."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment for sprinkling on streets occupied by Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works and Supplies, for the year 1916."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Chief of the Electrical Bureau, relative to sources of additional revenue in said Bureau.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) to have printed all specifications, proposals and other forms necessary for the receiving of bids for construction work under the charge of the Bureau; and authorizing the City Controller to pay bills for such work out of construction items; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Baumgaertel read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on D street,

over the Pennsylvania Railroad, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to re-surface G street, from the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge to Nicetown lane, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Shetter offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Magee street, from Frankford avenue to The Boulevard, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening upon the City plan of Eighth street, Locust street, Sixteenth street and Race street, and the revision of the grades of streets intersecting the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Sixty-eighth avenue, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Grange avenue, from Lawrence to Fifth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Scholes offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1214 West Erie avenue, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Le Gierse read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Lancaster avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) and the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 216.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park; providing for the payment of the said architect." (*Appendix No. 217.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the Corn Exchange National Bank as one of the active depositories of City funds." (*Appendix No. 218.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities) to make additional expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money." (*Appendix No. 219.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its Annual Automobile Show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month

of each year during the next four years." (*Appendix No. 220.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered." (*Appendix No. 221.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street, between Nedro avenue and City Line." (*Appendix No. 222.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.'" (*Appendix No. 223.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Recreation to make certain expenditures out of loan fund for the development and improvement of playgrounds." (*Appendix No. 224.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety,

Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, City Controller, Coroner, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Receiver of Taxes, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 225.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917." (*Appendix No. 226.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Costello offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit The Ross Tacony Crucible Company to lay a temporary drain in Robbins street, from a point about 225 feet northwest of Milnor street to sewer in Milnor street." (*Appendix No. 227.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. F. Schwarz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Lazar to lay a temporary drain in Schiller street, between Edgemont and Thompson streets." (*Appendix No. 228.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Thompson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee of five members to investigate how the Police Beneficiary Association is identi-

fied with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh." (*Appendix No. 229.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read.

Mr. Sowers moved that further consideration of the resolution be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 199*) entitled "An Ordinance regulating appliance and meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter and authorizing the installation of meters."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to amend on page 440 on lines 13, 14 and 15, by adding in each line the following: "On payment thereof a discount of 50 per cent. shall be allowed."

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the first section.

It was agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Mathay, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, Meckert, H. M. Miller, O'Brien, Remig, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—Messrs. Asnip, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, Lock, McGurk, McKinney, Reynolds, Scargle, Scholes, Wallace—11.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 209) entitled "An Ordinance to make a topographical survey, and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason,
Pres't—84.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 210) entitled "An Ordinance to extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart,

Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—84.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 211) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk,

McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason, *Pres't*—84.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 212) entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Hollywood, Myrtlewood and Sydenham streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson,

Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason,
Pres't—84.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 213) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved August 22, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Renig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, Gleason,
Pres't—84.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 57) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Ronald A. Needham to lay a temporary drain in Granite street, from the present sewer in Torresdale avenue to a point about three hundred and eight (308) feet northwest of Torresdale avenue."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street." (Appendix No. 164, Vol. I.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street, to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom." (Appendix No. 26.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Twenty-first street, from Kemble street to Nedro avenue." (Appendix No. 142.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane." (Appendix No. 143.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street." (Appendix No. 161.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street." (Appendix No. 162.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street." (Appendix No. 179.)

"An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street." (Appendix No. 193.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street,' approved August 15, 1916." (Appendix No. 197.)

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling street to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (Appendix No. 198.)

"An Ordinance regulating appliance and meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter and authorizing the installation of meters." (Appendix No. 199.)

"An Ordinance to make a topographical survey, and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto." (Appendix No. 209.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William O. Mahon to lay a temporary drain in the east side of Broad street, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet south of

Sixty-eighth avenue North to a point three hundred and fourteen (314) feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue North, and thence across Broad street to a connection with present sewer in the west side thereof." (Appendix No. 214.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit The Ross Tacony Crucible Company to lay a temporary drain in Robbins street, from a point about two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Milnor street to sewer in Milnor street." (Appendix No. 227.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Lazar to lay a temporary drain in Schiller street, between Edgemont and Thompson streets." (Appendix No. 228.)

Mr. Shaw moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Wednesday, November 29, 1916.

Common Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Asnip, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Crowe, Culbert, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, H. M. Miller, Milligan, O'Brien, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, J. M. Smith, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*.

Mr. Dance moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the City Controller, calling attention to the fact that no provision had been made in the annual appropriation ordinance for 1917 for sinking fund on loans to be sold during 1917. (*Appendix No. 230.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Olney avenue, from Fourth to Fifth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 231.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 208*) entitled "An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1917."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words and figures "twenty (20) cents" and inserting the words and figures "twenty-five (25) cents."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend on fifth line by striking out the words and figures "twenty-five (25) cents" and inserting the words and figures "thirty (30) cents."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Brandenstein, Burke,

Calhill, Cooper, Costello, Crowe, Dance, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Hahn, Humphrys, Jones, Keeley, Keene, G. H. Kelley, Lamond, Leanders, Lewis, List, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, H. M. Miller, O'Brien, Reynolds, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scholcs, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Trinkle, Tyson, Walter, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—Messrs. Asnip, Bradenburgh, Burch, Carson, Culbert, Gray, C. F. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Levis, Lock, Meekert, Milligan, E. F. Roberts, Scargle, Shetter, J. M. Smith, Thompson, Wallace, Weaver, and Williams—21.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following:

In reference to the present ordinance, much has been said and much has been done. From October 5th, when the requests of the City and County Departments for their 1917 appropriations were introduced in Common Council, until to-day, the question of the needs for next year and the revenues to meet them has been so amply discussed that little can profitably be added at this time.

Since Thursday last, when the Finance Committee reported favorably the present ordinance, up until last night, I had received but a single protest against the bill, and that in the shape of a circular letter from a Committee of the North Philadelphia Real Estate Brokers' Association, a copy of which I assume every member of this Chamber received, and is therefore familiar with its contents. This morning I received a circular protest from the Philadelphia Real Estate Board, composed of brokers also.

While little of the former Association's complaint is new, I propose, with your permission, to answer it para-

graph by paragraph, referring to each paragraph by its number, without repeating the language thereof.

1. I heartily agree with all that is said in reference to the Act of 1844 as being in full accord with my conclusions, set forth in my letter addressed to the Mayor and to Councils under date of October 24, 1916.

2. Nor have I any quarrel with the sentiments expressed in the second paragraph; they coincide with mine exactly, and I stand ready to fight for them just as hard as I have fought to put Philadelphia upon a sound financial basis.

3. The first rock upon which we split is the third paragraph of the letter, or, rather, that part of it which intimates that the landlords will get even by making their tenants the victims.

I stand here to-day as a landlord, but not as a real estate broker, like the great majority of other landlords; one who is not going to raise rents because of the proposed increased tax rate. In fact, every dollar I have invested is in real estate, but not for speculation. I don't hold, directly or indirectly, a share of stock, a bond, or any other form of security, nor am I in any way interested in any corporation; so that if I stand forth as the champion of any interest, it must be the land interest. Ordinarily, when an owner rents a house, particularly if it has been erected for some time, he exacts "all that the traffic will bear" before the imposition of the increased rate, and the fact that his tax burden has been increased does not empower him to exact more from the tenant, however great his desire or need to do so. Again, in all fairness, the landlord whose property is upon a ferrule charge for water and who can save by the installation of a meter must take that into consideration and set it off against the increased tax rate. In many instances an adjustment of this kind will mean that no additional burden is added to the property nor imposed upon the owner thereof. Moreover, I believe that the great body of our landlords are first good citizens and after that land owners; that they recognize as a business proposition that it is

far better to pay a debt once and be done with it than to string it out for thirty years, paying it, as I will presently illustrate, almost twice over.

Of course, in every community you have the selfish and the avaricious, always seeking to find an excuse to exact from those subject to them, for their own private gain, not an exact return for outlays made, but to wring from their victims, no matter how improperly, an illegitimate profit. You find them in the land-owning class as well as in every other class, and it is to these undesirable citizens that I make a closing reference. In that class (I am happy to say, few in number) I put the landlord who, owning small dwellings occupied by poor, hard-working, but respected citizens, assessed at two thousand (2,000) dollars or three thousand (3,000) dollars, and upon which, under the new tax rate, he will pay an additional four (4) dollars or six (6) dollars a year, makes the increased tax rate a pretext to levy and collect an additional one (1) dollar per month from the tenant, making thereby an illegitimate and unwarranted profit of six (6) dollars to eight (8) dollars thereon. There can be no palliation for an individual of that type. In his possession are found ill-gotten gains, and for him I have the same distaste as for the coal baron who, without reason, in the dead chill of winter, raises the price of coal, or the ice and milk manipulators who, in the summer's heat, make the children and the poor pay to them their unnecessarily high tribute for those needs of life, the distribution and price of which they control. If I were the prosecutor of the County and could find the law to sustain me, I should reach out promptly and firmly grip the real estate grafter, with the other members of that nefarious fraternity.

4. This paragraph is like unto the third, and since no high-speed transit lines will be in operation in 1917 we need give ourselves little concern upon that point.

5. The fifth and concluding paragraph of the letter of protest presents the only alternative to the ordinance now before us. It is our old, old friend, "Borrow." The assertion that an increase in the rate is not in line with

modern and up-to-date thought on the subject of taxation has, as far as I am able to learn, no authority to sustain it. If you turn to pages 678 and 679 of the World Almanac for 1916, you will find the tax rate for a number of cities. I select the following, all assessed upon one hundred (100) per cent. of the actual value of the real estate:

	RATE
Baltimore	\$2 13
Boston	1 80
Detroit	2 36
Jersey City	2 11
Louisville	1 85
Newark	2 28
New York City	1 87
Paterson	2 04
Pittsburgh	3 14
Topeka	1 90
Worcester, Mass.	2 05

Chicago's tax rate upon a thirty-three and one-third ($33\frac{1}{3}$) per cent. assessment is \$5.25, while Philadelphia is listed as assessed at eighty-five (85) per cent.

The Committee in its protest, while admitting that the City is suffering from lack of tax income, from neglect to "pay as it goes," from annual deficits of from three to five millions, seeks to cure all these ills by another dose of dope—the loan. In other words, the eminent pathological gentlemen who compose the Committee would lull us by this old treatment into absolute happy forgetfulness of both our duty and our danger. They want us to continue to be addicted to that drug which, in the last eight (8) years, we have used to the extent of sixteen million three hundred and forty-nine thousand two hundred and three (16,349,203) dollars. Ah, but they say, "Take it for another year; the Legislature in the meantime will act, so don't place additional burdens upon the one class that has been bearing all the burdens." Can these good physicians be depended upon to look after us while we dream on for another year? On October 17, 1908, a

permanent thirty (30) year loan of three million five hundred thousand (3,500,000) dollars to pay current expenses was authorized. In 1909 the Legislature met and adjourned, but no help came. In 1910 another permanent thirty (30) year loan of three million six hundred and fifty thousand (3,650,000) dollars for current expenses was authorized. The Legislature of 1911 met and adjourned, and we slumbered on. On May 9, 1912, another thirty (30) year permanent loan of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for expenses was authorized. Two Legislatures followed—1913 and 1915—and no help came to the poor, deluded victims. Where were our good doctor friends during all of these sessions of the Legislature? Instead of getting help we got hurt, in the nature of added burdens. What is the actual cost to the taxpayers of Philadelphia for this drug habit? The loans I have just mentioned aggregate eleven million three hundred and seventy-five thousand (11,375,000) dollars. In thirty years we will not only have to pay that amount, but in addition thereto, in sinking fund and interest charges, nine million one hundred thousand (9,100,000) dollars additional. Again in this very year we had to have another permanent loan of four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollars, for five years, to pay expense bills and patch out our current needs for 1916, which will cost, in addition to the principal, seven hundred and forty-five thousand nine hundred and thirty (745,930) dollars. Is such a system lifting, or is it putting a burden upon real estate taxpayers, and how can we be asked, sensibly and reasonably, to continue it?

The Philadelphia Real Estate Board, profiting by the universal condemnation of the Siamese Twins—"Loan and Borrow"—are more subtle in their protest. They offer exactly the same nostrum as their North Philadelphia broker friends, only they put a different label upon it—they call it "short weight." After cutting down the appropriations from forty-three million (43,000,000) dollars to thirty-five million (35,000,000) dollars, they recommend not only the illegal but the unwise course,

giving it the polite name of "exercised economy," of refusing the Departments their full needs, with the result of forcing them to do business upon a donation basis, creating deficiencies which eventually must be taken care of by a loan.

Personally, you know where I stand. I recognize that both the Constitution and the law of this State demand, in spirit and letter, that we "pay as we go." I and every other member took a solemn oath, when admitted to this Chamber, to support, obey and defend the Constitution. What others have done in the past is not my sin, but I propose to be faithful to that obligation so taken. I shall not be a party to a practice which in the past has defied the Constitution and the Acts of Assembly, has concealed the real facts and covered up its misrepresentations by thirty (30) year permanent loans.

Nor am I a recent convert. On December 2, 1915, as a humble member of this Chamber, I protested, as the Journal of that day will show, against a continuation of this practice, and as I took my seat I urged my fellow-members to meet the issue of "live within your means" like men; increase the revenues so that they would meet and defray the current expenses. At that time I had no knowledge that I should be the next Chairman of the Finance Committee, but when that honor came, I determined to practice what I had preached.

Believing, as I do, that the tax rate is a business and economic, and not a political question, with the hearty approval of the Mayor I adopted the budget system, declaring that no tax rate should be determined upon until the needs of the City were ascertained, and then it should be honestly and fearlessly fixed to meet those needs. I know nothing, personally, of the practice of fixing the tax rate in the past, but this I do know, and do now assert, that no man nor set of men, either directly or indirectly, interfered with, attempted to interfere with or directed the shaping of this year's tax program, nor will they while I am Chairman of the Finance Committee. I stand here to-day to take no backward step. I want to do my duty by Philadelphia and its people. I want to

help run the business of the City upon just as sound a basis as each individual citizen would conduct his own private business. I want to head Philadelphia toward the rising sun of progress and prosperity, and not in the direction of the setting sun of shame and bankruptcy. And I repeat, in doing this, no man nor set of men, however big or powerful, no threat of loss of votes or political death, will chill my courage to do my duty by my native City and my fellow-citizens. Such is my message to the people of Philadelphia.

JOSEPH P. GAFFNEY.

Mr. Burch offered the following:

I hereby file my reasons for voting in the negative on the pending ordinance.

1. Whilst I believe that Councils should enforce the Act of the Legislature commonly known as the "Pay As You Go Act," and should abandon the policy of borrowing money on long-term bonds to pay current running expenses, yet I believe that the increase of the tax rate to one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents could be avoided if economy, efficiency and more businesslike methods were employed in the municipal government, and especially in the Departments known as "County Departments."

2. I believe that real estate assessments are levied and appraisements made with such inequality, and that the small home property is made to bear an unequal and disproportionate burden as compared with the business property or larger home property, and that if a modern system of appraisalment were employed by the City, the increased revenues would cause a tax increase to be unnecessary.

FRANCIS F. BURCH.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council resolution (Appendix No. 226) entitled "Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations

now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 196) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,' approved July 31, 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved that the bill be recommitteed to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1917." (Appendix No. 208.)

"An Ordinance to extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District." (Appendix No. 210.)

"An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street." (Appendix No. 211.)

"An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Hollywood, Myrtlewood and Sydenham streets." (Appendix No. 212.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved August 22, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue.'" (Appendix No. 213.)

“Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917.” (Appendix No. 226.)

Mr. Sowers moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 7, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*.

Mr. J. Roberts moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The following certificate of election was read:

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 25, 1916.

SAMUEL H. MILLS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1916, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-second Ward to supply vacancy.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

Mr. Mills appeared before the Clerk's desk, when the oath of office was administered to him by Charles F. Kelley, Esq., Notary Public.

Mr. Conn moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Mr. Kelley for his kindness in administering the oath of office to the newly elected member.

Which was agreed to.

The President announced the appointment of Mr. Mills on the Committees on Law, Commerce and Navigation, Gas, Libraries and Museums and Highways.

The President presented the report of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, showing the aggregate of City loans on which interest is paid by the City, and also a statement of the semi-annual interest due January 1, 1917, as it stands on the books of said bank on December 1, 1916. (*Appendix No. 232.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also presented a communication from the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in reply to resolution of Councils requesting the said Commissioners to apply the surplus of excess appropriations, now held by them, to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917. (*Appendix No. 233.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Site and Relic Society of Germantown relative to the plans of the Art Jury for Vernon Park.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Jones read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on north side of Wood street, west of Ridge avenue, in the Thirteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

pave Buttonwood street, from Sixth to Tenth street, in the Thirteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Houghton street, from Roxborough avenue to Jamestown street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Anderson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Borthwick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Lincoln avenue, from Allen's lane to the line of Fairmount Park, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Woodlawn street, from Ardleigh to Sprague street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Woodlawn street, from Ardleigh to Sprague street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Woodlawn street, from Ardleigh to Sprague street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McConnell read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Receiver of Taxes to refund to James Hulton, Sr., twice paid personal property tax for the year 1915."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the City Treasurer, relative to new sources of revenue.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Commissioners, relative to certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Court, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Recreation, relative to certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Board, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916, for incidentals."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1916, for official entertaining."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Receiver of Taxes to refund to Murt S. Nichols, for taxes twice paid in 1915."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Twenty-sixth street, from Bainbridge to South street, in the Thirtieth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dougherty read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Wishart street, from B to Ella street, in the Thirty-third Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: McKean Parkway, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-third street; and Moore street, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to widen Morris and Moore streets, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-third street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Lincoln Drive, from Allen's lane to the Park line."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade McKean Parkway, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-third street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade the north footway of Allegheny avenue, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Cross street, from Tasker street to Passyunk avenue; and Linn street, from Tasker to Twelfth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Ringgold street, from Reed to Dickinson street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place bills to improve the following streets: Lincoln Drive, from Allen's lane to the Park line; McKean street, from Water street to Delaware avenue; and Scott's lane, from Ridge avenue to Cresson street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Blair street, from Berks to Hewson street, in the Nineteenth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Newkirk and Dover streets, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mathay read in place bills to place the following streets in the Fortieth Ward on the City plan: Belmar Terrace, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Wind-sor avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Buist avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; and Eighty-second street, from Bartram avenue to Brewster avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to compel property owners on both sides of Higbee street, between Torresdale avenue and Walker street, to set curb and lay footway pavements."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bennett read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) to pay bill of the Eastern

Paving Company, for paving on the east side of Third street, between Tabor street and Clarkson avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear of east and west sides of Sydenham street, south of Sixty-eighth avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sixteenth street, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street; and Widener place, from York road to Ogontz avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Church lane, from Limekiln pike to Ogontz avenue; Sixteenth street, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street; Widener place, from York road to Ogontz avenue; and Tenth street, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Fourth street, from Wingohocking street to Wyoming avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Sixteenth street, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sixth street, from Loudon to Rockland street; Sixteenth street, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street; Tenth street, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue, and from Godfrey avenue to end of present sewer at or near Medary avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sixteenth street, from Sixty-seventh avenue to Haines street; east side of Broad street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Elbow lane; and Sixty-eighth avenue, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Mills read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Sixth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades and place Delaware avenue upon the City plan, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Tulip street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Tulip street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Tulip street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; and Wilmot street, from Almond to Belgrade street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Tulip street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Tulip street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordi-

nance to make an appropriation to the various Departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for the year 1917." (*Appendix No. 234.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house in Bartram Park." (*Appendix No. 235.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety), as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly, approved May 5, 1899." (*Appendix No. 236.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide,' approved April 2, 1901." (*Appendix No. 237.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles,' approved April 2, 1901." (*Appendix No. 238.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transportation and carrying of high explosives,' approved April 2, 1901." (*Appendix No. 239.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to fix a charge for the use of the Registry plan books in the Registry Division of the Bureau of Water." (*Appendix No. 240.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend Section 5 of the ordinance approved March 22, 1900, to authorize and regulate the erection and construction of iron awnings over sidewalks, and authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of Highways to issue permits therefor." (*Appendix No. 241.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance approved April 7, 1893, entitled 'An Ordinance for the preservation of street paving, by authorizing the laying of lateral sewer connections from the main, prior to paving or repaving of streets, to inside of the curb, and to provide for collecting the cost thereof.'"
(*Appendix No. 242.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the City and County of Philadelphia, and providing for the free distribution of said Manual to municipal and other public officials." (*Appendix No. 243.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers,' approved May 12, 1866, and its supplement approved February 16, 1869." (*Appendix No. 244.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor,' approved March 28, 1881." (*Appendix No. 245.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole and other similar light petroleum or coal tar products and articles containing the same.'" (*Appendix No. 246.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service, and fixing the charges therefor." (*Appendix No. 247.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate and determine the fees for filing plans with the Bureau of Health (Department of Public Health and Charities) for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cesspools." (*Appendix No. 248.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved April 11, 1893, to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 249.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An

Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Crowson, Eighty-second, Greene, Homer, Jamestown, Magnolia, Marshall, Millick, and Sixty-first streets, Buist, Gibson and Henry avenues." (*Appendix No. 250.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Greenmount Cemetery Company to extend the boundaries of the Greenmount Cemetery eastward from the present cemetery lines." (*Appendix No. 251.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, and of Grays avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street." (*Appendix No. 252.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road; of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue; of Tulip street, from Carwithian avenue to Arendell avenue; and of State road, from Pennypack street to Convent avenue; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets." (*Appendix No. 253.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue to State road; of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street; and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary re-

vision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets.” (*Appendix No. 254.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Walter, Chairman of the Committee on Gas, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations.” (*Appendix No. 255.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: “Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 26*) entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty (150) feet northwest therefrom.’” (*Appendix No. 256.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: “Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 193*) entitled ‘An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two (2) metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street.’” (*Appendix No. 257.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: “Resolution to confirm lease of office for the Bureau of Surveys and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (*Appendix No. 258.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —73.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, to have printed all specifications, proposals and other forms necessary for the receiving of bids for construction work under the charge of the Bureau; and authorizing the City Controller to pay bills for such work out of construction items, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 259.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of Council, Common Council bill, Appendix No. 26, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street, to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom." (*Appendix No. 260.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of Council, Common Council bill, Appendix No. 193, entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street." (*Appendix No. 261.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 189) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same and the payment of Sinking Fund and interest charges out of the \$67,100,000 loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority.

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Halm, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 90) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction to the highest bidder City Ice-boat No. 1."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*
—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 191) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to approve the transfer of a certain lease of a lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware County, in the State of Pennsylvania, and known as the 'Lazaretto,' from the Philadelphia School of Aviation, the present lessee, to the United States Government."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 216) entitled "An Ordinance

to authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, and the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Bureh, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 217) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of

League Island Park, and providing for the payment of the said architect."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McNigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 218) entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the Corn Exchange National Bank as one of the active depositories of City funds."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 219) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities) to make additional expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 220) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its Annual Automobile Show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month of each year during the next four years."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe,

Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 221) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw and the City Controller to countersign warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller,

Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't* —76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 222) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street between Nedro avenue and City line."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgartel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith,

Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 223) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwiek, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 224) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Recreation to make certain expenditures out of loan funds for the development and improvement of playgrounds."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225) entitled "An Ordi-

nance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, City Controller, Coroner, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Receiver of Taxes, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding to line 15, page 491, the words "hire of single, double and motor teams, with drivers," and on lines 22 and 23 strike out the words and figures "seven hundred (700) dollars" and insert "one hundred (100) dollars."

Further amend by adding to line 10, page 493, the following: "City Commissioners: From Item 16 (b), election division registrars, etc., forty (40) dollars; from Item 17 (e), general printing, five hundred (500) dollars," and on page 495, lines 5 and 6, strike out the words and figures "five hundred dollars.....500" and insert "four hundred and forty dollars.....440."

Further amend by adding at the end of Section 1 the following:

SECT. 2. The City Controller is also hereby authorized to make the following transfers: Department of Public Works, Bureau of Water: From Item 9 (b), hire of teams, etc., two thousand six hundred (2,600) dollars. Board of Recreation: From Item 1 (b), temporary employees, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars. Civil Service Commission: From Item 2, transportation, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. Mayor: From Item 1 (d), reward for detection of crime, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 2 (a), communication service, etc., one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars; from Item 2 (e), miscellaneous advertising, five hundred and forty (540) dollars; from Item 2 (d), purchase, etc., of automobile, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; from Item 3, special and miscellaneous expenses, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 5 (a), salaries of

State and County Courts, one hundred and sixty-six (166) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; from Item 10 (a), office expenses, House of Detention, one hundred and ninety-nine (199) dollars and forty (40) cents. Clerk of Quarter Sessions: From Item 1 (a), salaries, one thousand one hundred and thirty-five (1,135) dollars. Board of Revision of Taxes: From Item 4 (a), additions to maps, etc., two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 47. To pay bill of T. J. & J. R. Whelan, for grading done in 1910, on Ninth street and Tenth street, between Butler and Pike streets, 5,134 cubic yards at 35 cents per cubic yard, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six dollars and ninety cents..... \$1,796 90

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 11 (g). Hauling ashes, one thousand dollars 1,000

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 23 (a). Emergency repairs to boiler at Spring Hill (Brown's Farm), two hundred and eighty-five dollars..... \$285

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(CIVIL SERVICE.)

Item 4. Miscellaneous, five hundred dollars. \$500

BOARD OF RECREATION.

Item 2 (e). Miscellaneous, five hundred dollars \$500

Item 3 (b). Play materials, etc., five hundred dollars	500
Item 4 (a). General repairs, etc., three hundred and seventy dollars and ten cents. . . .	370 10
Item 4 (b). Removing snow, etc., one hundred dollars	100
Item 5. Play materials, etc., nine hundred dollars	900

MAYOR.

Item 4. Official entertaining, one thousand seven hundred and fifteen dollars.....	\$1,715
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 5 (a). To pay salary of additional tip-staff for Orphans' Court for month of December, at rate of \$2,000 per annum, one hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents	\$166 66
Item 10 (1). To pay expenses of Henry P. Richardson and Mina E. Richardson, Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent, respectively, of the House of Detention, for attendance at National Conference of Charities and Corrections in Indianapolis, from May 8 to 12, 1916, one hundred and ninety-nine dollars and forty cents.....	199 40

CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS.

Item 2 (b). Advertising transfer of liquor licenses, two hundred and thirty-five dollars	\$235
Item 3 (a). Books, etc., nine hundred dollars ..	900

RECEIVER OF TAXES.

Item 13 (e). To refund to Murt S. Nichols, for taxes twice paid on property 534 South	
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Fifty-fourth street, for 1915, twenty-eight dollars	\$28
Item 13 (d). To refund to James Hulton, Sr., twice paid personal property tax, for year 1915, on a thirty thousand (30,000) dollar corporation mortgage on property of Ontario Dyeing Co., and not assessable for City taxes, one hundred and twenty dollars	120

BOARD OF REVISION OF TAXES.

Item 3 (c). Incidentals, two hundred and fifty dollars.....	\$250
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Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting the following after the word "Mayor": "Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Board of Revision of Taxes."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamerton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills,

O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 231) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend page 502, lines 7 and 8, by striking out the words and figures "eight thousand (8,000) dollars" and inserting the following: "six thousand (6,000) dollars; from Item 6 (a) (200 loan), maintenance and repairs, etc., two thousand one hundred and fifty (2,150) dollars."

Further amend on page 503, line 17, by striking out the words "salaries" and inserting the word "fuel," and by striking out on lines 20 and 21 the words and figures "twenty-one thousand one hundred and twenty-one (21,121) dollars and seven (7) cents" and inserting "twenty thousand nine hundred (20,900) dollars."

On page 504, line 10, amend by striking out the words and figures "seven hundred and fifty dollars....750" and inserting "six hundred and fifty dollars....650," and by adding after line 13 the following: Item 25 (200 loan),

repairs and maintenance, etc., one hundred and fifty dollars...150" and by striking out the last two lines on page.

Further amend by adding after line 16, page 507, the words and figures "Item 8 (d) (200 loan), postage, seventy-eight dollars and ninety-three cents...78.93" and on page 508 by adding after line 25 the following: "(Public Works, Survey). Item 14 (200 loan), stationery, etc., one thousand dollars...1,000," and on line 5, page 510, by striking out the word "north" and inserting "south."

Further amend by adding at end of section the following:

SECT. 2. The City Controller is hereby also authorized to make the following transfers: Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police: From Item 6 (a) (200 loan), repairs and maintenance, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Department of Supplies (Mayor): From Item 1, (200 loan), paper, etc., one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars. (Philadelphia Museums): From Item 13, (200 loan), lumber, etc., three hundred (300) dollars. (Receiver of Taxes): From Item 1 (200 loan), ice and towel service, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; from Item 2 (200 loan), stationery, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 3 (200 loan), furniture, etc., seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars. (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): From Item 3 (200 loan), furniture, etc., one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; from Item 4 (200 loan), fuel, etc., one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars. (Recreation): From Item 2 (200 loan), stationery, etc., one hundred (100) dollars. (Health): From Item 14½ (200 loan), transportation, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. (Fire): From Item 32 (200 loan), hose, etc., twelve thousand seven hundred and forty (12,740) dollars. (Correction): From Item 16 (200 loan), fuel, etc., five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars; from Item 17 (200 loan), flour, etc., twelve thousand six hundred (12,600) dollars; from Item 18 (200 loan), dry goods, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 19 (200 loan), drugs, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from

Item 21 (200 loan), hardware, etc., one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; from Item 22 (200 loan), furniture, etc., one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars. (Electrical): From Item 36 (200 loan), stationery, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 37 (200 loan), fuel, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 39 (200 loan), lumber, etc., twenty thousand nine hundred (20,900) dollars; from Item 40 (200 loan), furniture, etc., one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars. (Highways): From Item 10 (b) (200 loan), material, etc., seven hundred (700) dollars; from Item 10 (d) (200 loan), materials, etc., seven hundred (700) dollars; from Item 10 (e) (200 loan), materials, etc., one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars. (Surveys): From Item 18 (b) (200 loan), rubber goods, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 18 (c) (200 loan), corner stones, etc., four hundred (400) dollars. (Water): From Item 20 (200 loan), stationery, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 22 (200 loan), rubber goods, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; from Item 23 (200 loan), electrical, laboratory and cleaning supplies, etc., six thousand seven hundred (6,700) dollars; from Item 24 (200 loan), hardware, etc., fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) dollars; from Item 27 (200 loan), miscellaneous, five thousand (5,000) dollars. (City Property): From Item 29 (200 loan), fuel, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 32 (200 loan), hardware, etc., one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; from Item 33 (200 loan), furniture, etc., two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 32 (e) (200 loan), support of children, etc., seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 6 (d) (200 loan). Repairs to furniture, two hundred dollars	\$200
Item 6 (i) (200 loan). New auto patrols, one thousand nine hundred and ninety dollars	1,990

Item 9 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, three thousand dollars.....	3,000
Item 15 (200 loan). Erection of street signs, one hundred dollars.....	100
Item 19 (200 loan). Repairs to boats, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 24 (b) (200 loan). Medical attendance, five thousand dollars	5,000
Item 25 (200 loan). Repairs and maintenance of automobiles, one hundred and fifty dollars	150

BUREAU OF FIRE.

Item 2 (c) (200 loan). Miscellaneous, two hundred and fifty dollars.....	250
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 2 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, one thousand five hundred dollars.....	\$1,500
Item 11 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, four hundred and seventy-five dollars.....	475
Item 25 (c) (200 loan). Hire of teams, one hundred and fifty dollars.....	150

BUREAU OF SURVEYS.

Item 8 (d) (200 loan). Postage, seventy-one dollars	71
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BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 18 (c) (200 loan). Purchase of addressograph and office equipment for rendering meter bills and statements, eight thousand dollars	8,000
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BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 6 (b) (200 loan). To pay following bills: Philadelphia Electric Company, lighting Convention Hall and Squares, fifty-seven dollars; Jacob Reed's Sons, uniforms, sixty-seven dollars; Strawbridge & Clothier, washstand, two dollars and twenty-five cents; C. T. Groswith, for necessary work in excess of contract in Logan and Franklin Squares, nine hundred and sixty dollars and forty-six cents; total, one thousand and eighty-six dollars and seventy-one cents...	\$1,086 71
Item 11 (k), (200 loan). Alterations, repairs, and improvements, South Second Street Market, one thousand six hundred and two dollars and forty cents.....	1,602 40

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(CHARITIES.)

Item 17 (200 loan). Fuel (Holmesburg), nine thousand dollars.....	\$9,000
Item 23 (200 loan). Dry goods, etc., five thousand six hundred and forty-four dollars	5 644

(POLICE.)

Item 7 (200 loan). Stationery, etc., two thousand five hundred dollars.....	2,500
Item 10 (200 loan). Harness, etc., three thousand dollars.....	3,000
Item 11 (200 loan). Hardware, lumber, etc., three thousand dollars.....	3,000
Item 12 (200 loan). Furniture, etc., one thousand dollars.....	1,000

(FIRE.)

Item 24 (200 loan). Stationery, etc., one hundred and fifty dollars.....	150
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(HIGHWAYS.)

Item 6 (200 loan). Stationery, etc., nine hundred dollars.....	900
Item 7 (200 loan). Fuel, seven hundred and fifty dollars.....	750
Item 8 (200 loan). Electricians', etc., supplies, etc., five hundred dollars.....	500
Item 10 (a) (200 loan). Miscellaneous, three hundred dollars.....	300

(SURVEYS.)

Item 17 (200 loan). Furniture, etc., one thousand dollars.....	1,000
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(WATER.)

Item 21 (c) (200 loan). Fuel, etc., fifty-five thousand two hundred and thirty dollars and ninety-nine cents.....	55,230 99
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(WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES.)

Item 6 (200 loan). Mechanics', etc., supplies, five hundred dollars.....	500
Item 7 (200 loan). Lumber, etc., five hundred dollars.....	500

BOARD OF RECREATION.

Item 4 (a) (200 loan). General repairs, etc., six hundred and twenty-nine dollars and ninety cents.....	\$629 90
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 3 (a) (200 loan). Stationery, etc., two hundred dollars.....	\$200
Item 6 (a) (200 loan). Automobile hire, etc., sixty dollars.....	60
Item 6 (b) (200 loan). To pay for meals for jurors, two hundred dollars.....	200

Item 31 (200 loan). Toward purchase of motor truck (Weights and Measures), five hundred dollars.....	500
Item 33 (g) (200 loan). To reimburse Philadelphia County Fair Association, Byberry, for money spent in prizes, etc., two thousand dollars.....	2,000

COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK.

Item 7 (f) (200 loan). Forage, one thousand two hundred dollars.....	\$1,200
Item 8 (b) (200 loan). Materials, three thousand five hundred dollars.....	3,500

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting the words "Board of Recreation" after the word "Supplies."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz,

F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Renig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 144) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Emlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allen's lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schrlz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Mr. Thompson moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council resolution (Appendix No. 229) entitled

"Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee of five members to investigate how the Police Beneficiary Association is identified with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh."

Which was agreed to.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read.

Also, moved to amend on page 499, line 11, by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution as amended was agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Thompson, Dorwart, and Sowers the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 54) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to relocate (about sixty-nine (69) feet to the south) their existing siding now connecting their westernmost track on Front street with the property of the H. B. Pancoast Company, northeast of Ellen street, in the Sixteenth Ward, and to maintain and operate the same in its new location," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Boiler Inspection, with bill (Appendix No. 55) annexed entitled "An Ordinance regulating the inspection and construction of steam boilers used in the City of Philadelphia, and adopting the rules and regulations of the Industrial Board of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, known as the Safety Standards, or Code, respecting such inspection and construction," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bosch, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Conn, Costello, Crowe, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Flynn, Fox, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Le Gierse, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McGuigan, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, H. M. Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, Shetter, R. Smith, Sowers, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 48) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water-pipe in Albright, Anderson, Ardleigh, Buckius, Chew, Courtland, Fifty-seventh, Forty-seventh, Gratz, Homer, Hutchinson, L, M, Magnolia, Millick, Oakley, Oaklyn, Pike, Sixty-first, Sydenham, Third and Twenty-second streets, Gibson, Godfrey, Ogontz, Oregon, Sedgley, Windsor, Wyoming avenues, Westford road, Limekiln pike, Belmar Terrace and Hartwell lane," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 49) annexed entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground along the Pennypack Creek, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and directing the Commissioners

of Fairmount Park to assume the custody and maintenance of the same," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the said Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 50) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Thirty-third Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for park and playground purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation; and authorizing the striking from the City plan of Howard street, from Tioga to Venango street," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 51) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at the northwest corner of Twenty-third and Brown streets," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 52) annexed entitled "An Ordinance extending to Ellis Post, No. 6, G. A. R., the right to use the auditorium on the second floor of Town Hall, Germantown, as and for a meeting place and record room," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 53) annexed entitled "to locate electric lights in various wards," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue." (Appendix No. 141).

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Emlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allens lane." (Appendix No. 144.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same and the payment of Sinking Fund and interest charges out of the \$67,100,000 loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority." (Appendix No. 189.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction to the highest bidder City Ice-boat No. 1." (Appendix No. 190.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to approve the transfer of a certain lease of a lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware County, in the State of Pennsylvania, and known as the 'Lazaretto,' from the Philadelphia School of Aviation, the present lessee, to the United States Government." (Appendix No. 191.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, and the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 216.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park, and providing for the payment of the said architect." (Appendix No. 217.)

"An Ordinance designating and approving the Corn Exchange National Bank as one of the active depositories of City funds." (Appendix No. 218.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make additional expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money." (Appendix No. 219.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its Annual Automobile Show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month of each year during the next four years." (Appendix No. 220.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered." (Appendix No. 221.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street, between Nedro avenue and City line." (Appendix No. 222.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.'" (Appendix No. 223.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Recreation to make certain expenditures out of loan funds for the development and improvement of playgrounds." (Appendix No. 224.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Controller, Coroner, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Receiver of Taxes, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 225.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Board of Recreation, City Commis-

sioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 231.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 26) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to its full width from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom.'" (Appendix No. 256.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 193) entitled 'An Ordinance to permit the National Edge Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street.'" (Appendix No. 257.)

"Resolution to confirm lease of office for the Bureau of Surveys and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 258.)

"Resolution to authorize the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, to have printed all specifications, proposals and other forms necessary for the receiving of bids for construction work under the charge of the Bureau; and authorizing the City Controller to pay bills for such work out of construction items, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 259.)

Also, informed Common Council that the President of Select Council had announced the following Committee assignments:

Mr. F. Willard—Steam Railroads, Fourth of July Celebration, Police and Fire, *vice* Dr. Morton, deceased; Boiler Inspection, *vice* Mr. Hetzell, resigned; Verify Cash Accounts, *vice* Mr. Dugan, resigned.

Mr. Shiel—Electrical, Street Railways, Gas, Election Divisions, Printing and Supplies, *vice* Dr. Morton, deceased.

Mr. Dugan—Fairmount Park, *vice* Dr. Morton, deceased.

Also, informed Common Council that they had non-concurred in Common Council resolution (Appendix No. 229) entitled "Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee of five members to investigate how the Police Beneficiary Association is identified with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh."

Mr. Thompson moved that a committee of three on conference be appointed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were requested by Mr. Sowers, seconded by Messrs. Bennett, Borthwick, Brandenstein, Burch, Costello, Deutsch, Dorwart, C. F. Kelley, Le Geirse, Mathay, E. F. Roberts, Rohlfing and Tyson, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Barnes, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Carson, Deutsch, Dorwart, Gaffney, C. F. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Le Gierse, Mathay, Meckert, O'Brien, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, and Weideman—32.

NAYS—Messrs. Costello, Dougherty, Flynn, Frankenhfield, Keene, G. H. Kelley, Lamond, List, Remig, Schulz, Shetter, and Stockley—12.

Less than a quorum having voted, the motion was not agreed to.

Mr. Stockley moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 21, 1916. 1 P. M.

Common Council met, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, December 18, 1916.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly call a special meeting of Common Council for Thursday, December 21st, at 1 P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD B. GLEASON.

President.

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Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dewart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. Dance moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, December 20, 1916.

E. B. GLEASON, M. D.

President of Common Council.

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:—I will not be present at the meeting of Councils on 21st inst., on account of illness.

Respectfully,

JAMES CARSON.

HON. EDWARD B. GLEASON,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR PRESIDENT:—Owing to very impressive business I will be unable to attend the special meeting of Common Councils to-morrow, Thursday. I will, however, attend the regular session at 3 o'clock P. M.

Yours, with compliments of the season,

FERDINAND BAUMGAERTEL.

Philadelphia, December 20, 1916.

E. B. GLEASON, M. D.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly accept my resignation as a member of Common Council from the Forty-second Ward, to take effect January 1, 1917.

Permit me to express to you and the members of Common Council my appreciation of the many courtesies which have been extended to me during my service in this Chamber.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL S. BENNETT.

The President announced the death of Mr. William A. Miller, from the Thirty-ninth Ward.

Mr. Baizley offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the death of Mr. William A. Miller, late a member of Common Council from the Thirty-ninth Ward.

WHEREAS, The members of Common Council have received, with profound regret, the announcement of the death of Mr. William A. Miller, one of the representatives of Common Council from the Thirty-ninth Ward;

AND WHEREAS, It is our desire to publicly express our appreciation of his character and esteem for him as a friend in our heartfelt sorrow at his loss; therefore,

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That in the death of Mr. William A. Miller the City has lost a valuable representative and the Thirty-ninth Ward an honorable and faithful servant, and one whose devotion to duty renders severely his loss to this Chamber.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be suitably engrossed and presented to the family of the deceased member.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President announced that today Mr. William H. Felton, Chief Clerk, had completed forty-five years' continuous service as an attache of Common Council.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved that a vote of congratulation be extended to Mr. Felton.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the New Century Club, advocating an increase in salary and a change in the working hours of the police and firemen of the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, recommending a loan for the purpose of increasing the water supply in the central business district of the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, announced the appointment of Messrs. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Barnes, Mathay, McCloskey, and McConnell on the part of Common Council on the Committee on State Legislation Affecting the City of Philadelphia.

Mr. Mills offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the retirement of Michael S. Bennett as a member of Common Council.

WHEREAS, Michael S. Bennett, after serving with zeal and fidelity as a member of Common Council from the Forty-second Ward, retires to-day to take his place as a member of the State Legislature;

AND WHEREAS, In his retirement the City will lose the valuable services of a member who has been ever ready to give his best judgment to its interests, and has earnestly striven to promote the welfare of his constituents, and by his manly course has endeared himself to the members of this Chamber; therefore,

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia. That we desire to express our regard and esteem for Michael S. Bennett as a man and friend, and sincerely regret the severance of the official relations that have been so pleasant and agreeable throughout the time he was a member of this Chamber, and congratulate him on his elevation as a member of the State Legislature, believing that he will perform the duties of that office with the same ability and intelligence that has characterized his career as a member of Common Council.

Resolved. That these resolutions be suitably engrossed and presented to Mr. Bennett.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning, with his approval, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 231) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Board of Recreation, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916," except for the following items:

"SECTION 1. Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Item 5 (b) (200 loan), labor etc., fifty-seven thousand five hundred and eighty-six (57,586) dollars and twelve (12) cents."

The above item approved in the sum of fifty-five thousand six hundred and eighty-six (55,686) dollars and twelve (12) cents, and withholding approval from one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars, the balance thereof; thereby eliminating the one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars transferred from Department of Supplies (Electrical), Item 40 (200 loan), furniture, etc.

"SECT. 2. Department of Supplies (Water), Item 21 (c) (200 loan), fuel, etc., fifty-five thousand two hundred and thirty (55,230) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents."

This item approved in the sum of thirty-four thousand three hundred and thirty (34,330) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents, and withholding approval from twenty thousand nine hundred (20,900) dollars, the balance thereof; thereby eliminating the twenty thousand nine hundred (20,900) dollars transferred from Department of Supplies (Electrical), Item 39 (200 loan), lumber, etc. (*Appendix No. 262.*)

The message was read.

The question being: Shall the items stand notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor?

Mr. Gaffney moved that the message and items be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to promote the public safety by regulating the discharge of inflammable materials into the sewerage system of Philadelphia, and providing a fine for violation thereof."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Nineteenth street, between Market and Walnut streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Nineteenth street, from Walnut to Market street, by adding twenty (20) feet to the west side."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Borthwick offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in front of 40 East Cheltenham avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Cresheim Valley drive, from Ardleigh street to intersection of Anderson street and Hartwell avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Cresheim Valley

drive, from Ardleigh street to intersection of Anderson street and Hartwell avenue; Pleasant street, from Chew to Clearview street, and in Clearview street, from Pleasant street to Meehan avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Cresheim Valley drive, from Ardleigh street to intersection of Anderson street and Hartwell avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Cresheim Valley drive, from Ardleigh street to intersection of Anderson street and Hartwell avenue; and Hottter street, from Pelham road to McCallum street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Meckert read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Gillingham street, between Frankford avenue and Griscom street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gaffney presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, asking that a joint resolution of Councils be introduced to authorize settlement for the charge of pole changes by the Philadelphia Electric Company.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to underground work for lighting the Parkway, from Nineteenth to Twenty-second street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to underground work for lighting the Parkway, between City Hall and Logan Square.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation for coal stokers at Lardner's Point Pumping Station.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Commissioners, requesting a transfer in the annual appropriation to said Commissioners, for the year 1916.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, requesting a transfer in the annual appropriation to said Commissioners, for the year 1916, for various maintenance work.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Chief of the Bureau of Surveys, requesting a transfer in said Bureau, for the year 1916, for repairs to instruments.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police, requesting a transfer in said Bureau to pay the salary of a quarantine guard.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Commercial Museums, requesting an additional appropriation to cover the salaries of regular employees omitted by error.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Water, for the year 1917."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance regulating and granting of permits for the opening of highways for the installation of connections with or repairs of underground service and fixing the charges thereof."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to improve Abbottsford avenue, between Scotts lane and Wissahickon avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance confirming the purchase from the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company of property on the east side of Delaware avenue, between Arch and Race streets, known as Pier No. 8 North Delaware Wharves."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the appointment of temporary inspectors on building construction work and general improvements to various parks and squares, Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to exempt the Thirty-fifth Ward from the provisions of the ordinance of January 6, 1881, requiring \$5.00 per pole to be paid for the license for the erection thereof."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the location and erection of a station building upon a portion of a plot of ground belonging to the City of Philadelphia, at the southeast corner of Kensington avenue and Tioga street, in the Forty-fifth Ward, appurtenant to the construction and improvement of an elevated railway from Front and Arch streets to Rhawn street, via Front street, Kensington avenue and Frankford avenue to Rhawn street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating all those certain properties in the Eleventh, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-first, Thirty-third and Forty-fifth Wards of the City of Philadelphia, as hereinafter set forth in detail, required to be taken in connection with the construction and improvement of an elevated railway from Front and Arch streets to Rhawn street, via Front street, Kensington avenue and Frankford avenue to Rhawn street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to approve lease of office for the Fourth Highway District, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the drawing and countersigning of certain warrants for services of employees in the office of the City Solicitor, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve regulations for the location, size and use of buildings along the Parkway."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to improve certain playgrounds and make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Stockley read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward: South side Oregon avenue, from Cleveland avenue to Nineteenth street, and Eighteenth street, from Johnston street to Moyamensing avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Tyson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dougherty read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating the plot of ground bounded by C street, Indiana avenue and Bondinot street as 'Marian Winfield Hissey Recreation Center.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1917, and to authorize the appointment of a supervisor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to improve certain playgrounds and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of a certain plot of ground situate in the Twenty-first Ward from the Board of Recreation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property)."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: East side of Twenty-ninth street, Dover and Newkirk streets, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets, in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Dover and Newkirk streets, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets,

in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Dover and Newkirk streets, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Dover and Newkirk streets, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place McKinley street, from Jackson to Dittman street, in the Forty-first Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bennett read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Forty-second Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Grange avenue, from Park avenue to Old York road; and Limekiln Pike, from Sixty-sixth avenue north to Andrews street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Ruscomb street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; and Limekiln pike, from Sixty-sixth avenue north to Andrews street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mills read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gaffney, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment of salaries and wages of employees of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government by the drawing of a single warrant for each payroll payable to one employee designated by the head of such Department.

Bureau, Board or Commission, and directing the City Controller to countersign such payroll warrant upon the furnishing of a satisfactory bond, the cost of which bond shall be borne by the City." (*Appendix No. 263.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Commissioners, Law and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916." (*Appendix No. 264.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets." (*Appendix No. 265.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Estate of P. A. B. Widener to erect a steel and glass awning or marquee in front of and at entrance to the Arcadia Café, east of Broad street." (*Appendix No. 266.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,' approved July 31, 1916." (*Appendix No. 267.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Atlantic, Belmar, Blaine, Chew, Courtland, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Fifth, Front, Granite, Gratz, Haddington, Hall, Hancock, Hollywood, Howard, Lambert, Lawrence, Loudon, Marsden, Marshall, Mascher, Mitchell, Myrtle-

wood, Oaklyn, Palethorpe, Percy, Peters, Quince, Randolph, Reese, Roy, Sixth, Sixty-fourth, Sydenham, Thirteenth, Twenty-eighth, Water, Wendover, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Windsor and Yocum streets; Greenway, Oregon, Schnykill, Sixty-sixth avenue north; The Boulevard; State, Westford and York roads." (*Appendix No. 268.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Allengrove, Avondale, Belmar, Blair, Elkins, Hancock, Lambert, Howard, Mole, Napa, Oaklyn, Para, Pentridge, Ridgewood, Shelborne, Titan, Trinity, Windsor, Wingohocking, Wishart, Woodstock, West Ashmead Place and Widener Place." (*Appendix No. 269.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan Newkirk, Dover, Willard streets, and a Neighborhood Square, bounded by Willard street, Newkirk street and Hunting Park avenue." (*Appendix No. 270.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Roberts avenue, from Pulaski to Wissahickon avenue." (*Appendix No. 271.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-fourth street to Daggett street, to a width of 90 feet, by placing the same upon the City plan, with a grass plot in the center of Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-sixth street, and to make the necessary revision of grades." (*Appendix No. 272.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Morris street, from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway, to sixty feet." (*Appendix No. 273.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164, Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street.'" (*Appendix No. 274.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue.'" (*Appendix No. 275.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the payment of the expenses of transportation of officials of the Pennsylvania State Grange to the Annual Convention, December 12-15, 1916, out of the appropriation to the Mayor for official entertaining, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 276.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Cooper, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Jones, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Mathay, McCarthy, McConnell, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, Shaw, Sheehan, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—61.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 234) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the various departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for the year 1917."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend Item 6 by striking out the figures "2,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5,900."

By striking out the words and figures "one hundred and ten thousand one hundred and seventy (110,170)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and fourteen thousand and seventy (114,070)."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The third section was again read.

Also, moved to amend so that the proviso shall read as follows: "*Provided*, That no assistant or assistants, nor any member of a law firm with which any assistant or assistants may be associated in the practice of law, or otherwise, shall be employed, engaged, or render service or services as counsel or attorney against the City, in any Court proceeding or proceedings, in which the City and County of Philadelphia, or any Department or Bureau thereof, directly or indirectly, may be a party, either in a civil or criminal case, under penalty of immediate dismissal."

Also, on page 522, Item 3 (a), by striking out the figures "15,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "7,500."

Item 4 (a), "extra clerk hire, 7,500."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words and figures "nine million three hundred and seventeen thousand four hundred and twenty-three (9,317,423) dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "nine million three hundred and thirteen thousand five hundred and twenty-three (9,313,523) dollars."

Item 10 amend by striking out the figures "152,384.87" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "148,484.87."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to

The seventh section was again read.

Mr. Gray moved to amend Item 16 by striking out all between the two words "Provided" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) tickets be given to the Board of Public

Education, fifteen thousand (15,000) tickets be given to the Superintendent of Parochial Schools for the use of teachers and pupils, and thirty-five thousand (35,000) tickets be given to the Board of Public Education for distribution to other school children."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The eleventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The twelfth section was again read, and agreed to.

The thirteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventeenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The nineteenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The twentieth section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-first section was again read, and agreed to.

Mr. J. Roberts moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 21, 1916.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn. Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frank-enfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't.*

Mr. McGurk moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance Fund Commissioners presenting their report, in accordance with ordinance of May 7, 1857, for the quarter ending September 30, 1916. (*Appendix No. 277.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils. Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 164, Vol. I*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the

north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street." (*Appendix No. 278.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of Councils, Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 141*) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3537 Germantown avenue." (*Appendix No. 279.*)

The message was read.

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Gaffney moved to resume consideration of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 234*) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the various Departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for the year 1917."

Which was agreed to.

The twenty-second section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-third section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-fourth section was again read.

Also, moved to amend at top of page 578, from lines 1 to 19, inclusive, by striking out the plural "s" in each line.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The twenty-fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-sixth section was again read.

Also, moved to amend page 612, Item 112, by striking out the figures "4,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the

figures "4,500," and page 614, Item 147, by striking out the figures "1,000" and inserting "500."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The twenty-seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The twenty-ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The thirtieth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was again read, and agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Costello, Culbert, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Miller, Milligan, Mills, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 235) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 236) entitled "An Ordinance to regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety) as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly approved May 5, 1899."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The eleventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The twelfth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 237) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide,' approved April 2, 1901."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 238) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles, approved April 2, 1901.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills. O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shcehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 239) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transporting and carrying of high explosives,' approved April 2, 1901."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 240) entitled "An Ordinance to fix the charge for the use of the Registry plan books in the Registry Division of the Bureau of Surveys."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Sowers moved to amend by inserting on page 641, line 1, after the word "Philadelphia" the words "or a member of the Philadelphia Bar."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And laid over to print the amendment.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 241) entitled "An

Ordinance to amend Section 5 of the ordinance approved March 22, 1900, to authorize and regulate the erection and construction of iron awnings over sidewalks, and authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of Highways to issue permits therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 242) entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance approved April 7, 1893, entitled 'An Ordinance for the preservation of street paving, by authorizing the laying of lateral sewer connections from the main, prior to paving or repaving of streets to inside of the curb, and to provide for collecting the cost thereof.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn. Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds,

Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 243) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the City and County of Philadelphia, and providing for the free distribution of said Manual to Municipal and other public officials."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle,

Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 244) entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers,' approved May 12, 1866, and its supplement, approved February 16, 1869."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson,

Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading Common Council bill (Appendix No. 245) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor,' approved March 28, 1881."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 246) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole, and other similar light petroleum or coal-tar products and articles containing the same.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lamberton moved to amend by striking out the following:

"For each private garage..... \$2

A private garage shall include all places where motor-driven vehicles are stored other than public garages."

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dougherty, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, Michaelsen, Miller, Mills, O'Brien, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—55.

NAYS—Messrs. Burch, Gray, Sowers, Thompson, and Weaver—5.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gaffney moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 247) entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service, and fixing the charges therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Seargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 248) entitled "An Ordinance to regulate and determine the fees for filing plans with the Bureau of Health, Department of Public Health and Charities, for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cess pools."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lambertson, Lamond, Lenders, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 249) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance, approved April 11, 1893, to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the following:

"*Provided*, That all licenses issued after June 30th of each year shall be paid for at one-half the above rates."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 263) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment of salaries and wages of employees of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government by the drawing of a single warrant for each payroll payable to one employee designated by the head of such Department, Bureau, Board or Commission, and directing the City Controller to countersign such payroll warrant upon the furnishing of a satisfactory bond, the cost of which bond shall be borne by the City."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, **Fleming**, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Reinig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 264) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Commissioners, Law and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 172, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of lines and

grades and the establishment of new streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 16, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dauce, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Richter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 105) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason,
Pres't—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 250) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Crowson, Eighty-second, Greene, Homer, Jamestown, Magnolia, Marshall, Millick and Sixty-first streets; Buist, Gibson and Henry avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baungaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 251) entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Greenmount Cemetery Company to extend the boundaries of the Greenmount Cemetery eastward from the present cemetery lines."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bennett moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. C. F. Kelley moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 252) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Rail-

way, and of Gray's avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Shechan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason.
Pres't—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 253) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road; of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue; of Tulip street, from Carwithan avenue to Arendell avenue; and of State road, from Pennypack street to

Convent avenue; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankentfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 254) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue to State road; of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street; and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, Lewis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 48) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water-pipe in Albright, Anderson, Ardleigh, Buckius, Chew, Courtland, Fifty-seventh, Forty-seventh, Gratz, Homer, Hutchinson, L. M. Magnolia, Millick, Oakley, Oaklyn, Pike, Sixty-first, Sydenham, Third and Twenty-second streets, Gibson, Godfrey, Ogontz, Oregon, Sedgley, Windsor, Wyoming avenues, Westford road, Limekiln pike, Belmar Terrace and Hartwell lane."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—16.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 51) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at the northwest corner of Twenty-third and Brown streets."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meekert, Michaelson, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 52) entitled "An Ordinance extending to Ellis Post, No. 6, G. A. R., the right to use the auditorium on the second floor of Town Hall, Germantown, as and for a meeting place and Record Room."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, Me-

Kimney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 53) entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in various wards."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Baizley, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Bennett, Borthwick, Bradenburgh, Brandenstein, Burch, Burke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Culbert, Dance, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Fleming, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Gallagher, Gillespie, Gray, Hahn, Jones, Keeley, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Kenney, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, Levis, List, Lock, Mathay, McCarthy, McCloskey, McConnell, McGurk, McKinney, Meckert, Michaelsen, Miller, Milligan, Mills, O'Brien, Remig, Reynolds, Righter, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Scholes, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, Shaw, Sheehan, R. Smith, Sowers, Stinger, Stockley, Thompson, Trinkle, Tyson, Wallace, Walter, Weaver, Weideman, Williams, and Gleason, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 40) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan certain plots of ground, with improvements thereon, situated in the Sixteenth Ward, for park and playground purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 58) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Hyman Bachman to lay a temporary drain in Vollmer street, from Fifth street to one hundred and twelve (112) feet east of Fifth street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of lines and grades and the establishment of new streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 16, in the Twenty-second Ward." (Appendix No. 172, Vol. 1.)

"An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan." (Appendix No. 105.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the various Departments of the City and County of Philadelphia for the year 1917." (Appendix No. 234.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house." (Appendix No. 235.)

"An Ordinance to regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety), as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly approved May 5, 1899." (Appendix No. 236.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide,' approved April 2, 1901." (Appendix No. 237.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles,' approved April 2, 1901." (Appendix No. 238.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transporting and carrying of high explosives,' approved April 2, 1901." (Appendix No. 239.)

"An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance approved April 7, 1893, entitled 'An Ordinance for the preservation of street paving, by authorizing the laying of lateral sewer connections from the main, prior to paving or repaving of streets to inside of the curb, and to provide for collecting the cost thereof.'" (Appendix No. 242.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the City and County of Philadelphia, and providing for the free distribution of said Manual to Municipal and other public officials." (Appendix No. 243.)

"An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers,' approved May 12, 1866, and its supplement, approved February 16, 1869." (Appendix No. 244.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor,' approved March 28, 1881." (Appendix No. 245.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole, and other similar light petroleum or coal-tar products and articles containing the same.' " (Appendix No. 246.)

"An Ordinance amending Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service, and fixing the charges therefor." (Appendix No. 247.)

"An Ordinance to regulate and determine the fees for filing plans with the Bureau of Health, Department of Public Health and Charities, for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cesspools." (Appendix No. 248.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance, approved April 11, 1893, to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 249.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Crowson, Eighty-second, Greene, Homer, Jamestown, Magnolia, Marshall, Millick, and Sixty-first streets; Buist, Gibson and Henry avenues." (Appendix No. 250.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, and of Gray's avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street." (Appendix No. 252.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road; of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue; of Tulip street, from Carwithan avenue to Arendell avenue; and of State road, from Pennypack street to Convent avenue; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets." (Appendix No. 253.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue

to State road; of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street; and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets." (Appendix No. 254.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the payment of salaries and wages of employees of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government by the drawing of a single warrant for each payroll payable to one employee designated by the head of such Department, Bureau, Board or Commission, and directing the City Controller to countersign such payroll warrant upon the furnishing of a satisfactory bond, the cost of which bond shall be borne by the City." (Appendix No. 263.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Commissioners, Law and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916." (Appendix No. 264.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164, Vol. I) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street.'" (Appendix No. 274.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled 'An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue.'" (Appendix No. 275.)

"Resolution to authorize the payment of the expenses of transportation of officials of the Pennsylvania State Grange to the Annual Convention, December 12-15, 1916, out of the appropriation to the Mayor for official entertaining, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 276.)

Also, informed Common Council that the President of Select Council has announced the appointment of Messrs.

Seger, Ryan, Hetzell, Buchholz and Abrams as the Committee on the part of Select Council on the Committee on State Legislation affecting the City of Philadelphia.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 71) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Harvey street, from Main street to Cresson street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Borthwick, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Costello, Culbert, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, List, Lock, Mills, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sowers, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

Less than a quorum of the members having voted, the President ordered a roll-call and the following members responded:

Messrs. Anderson, Barnes, Baumgaertel, Benham, Brandenstein, Burch, Cahill, Costello, Culbert, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dougherty, Frankenfield, Gaffney, Keene, C. F. Kelley, G. H. Kelley, Lamberton, Lamond, Lenders, List, Lock, Mills, E. F. Roberts, J. Roberts, Rohlfing, Scargle, Schulz, C. A. Schwarz, F. Schwarz, Shaw, Sowers, Thompson, Tyson, Wallace, Weideman, and Gleason, *Pres't*—37.

Less than a quorum being present, Common Council adjourned.

APPENDIX TO THE JOURNAL

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APPENDIX

APPENDIX No. 1.

Philadelphia, June 29, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, for payment of claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, John H. Baizley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., E. Buchholz, Wm. J. Crawford, T. J. McCarthy, Morris E. Conn, Charles J. McKinney, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, John J. McKinley, Elias Abrams, George D'Autrechy, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for payment of claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 190 in the appropriation to the City Treasurer, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, for the payment of claims under the Workmen's

Compensation Act: *Provided*, That the City Treasurer be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against said item only upon the approval of the City Solicitor.

APPENDIX No. 2.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, and the City Treasurer, out of loan approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for and improvement of the Parkway,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Crawford, Robert Smith, E. Buchholz, Simon Walter, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John J. McKinley, Jr., John H. Baizley, C. J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, and the City Treasurer, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for and improvement of the Parkway.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of nine million (9,000,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 196 (loan). For the improvement of the Parkway, five hundred thousand dollars	\$500,000
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CITY TREASURER.

Item 191 (loan). Toward the acquisition of and payment for property taken for the Parkway, eight million five hundred thousand dollars	\$8,500,000
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Provided, That the City Treasurer is authorized and directed to draw warrants on writs of mandamus execution for damages for the acquisition of such property, or on orders from the City Solicitor, duly countersigned by the City Controller.

APPENDIX No. 3.

Philadelphia, June 29, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, John H. Baizley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., E. Buchholz, Wm. J. Crawford, T. J. McCarthy, Morris E. Conn, Charles J. McKinney, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, John J. McKinley, Elias Abrams, George D’Autrechy, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby set aside out of loan, Item 170, in the annual appropriation to the Board of Recreation for a playground in the Sixteenth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 4.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Treasurer to pay mandamuses,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Crawford, Robert Smith, E. Buchholz, Simon Walter, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John J. McKinley, Jr., John H. Baizley, C. J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the City Treasurer to pay mandamuses, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (\$2,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That out of the forty-two

million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, the sum of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 192 in the appropriation to the City Treasurer for the payment of mandāmuses.

Provided, That no warrants shall be drawn against this item to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers, condemnation of property for parks or other purposes, which shall be chargeable against the item for these purposes in the appropriation to the Department of Law; nor to pay for property taken or to be taken for Fairmount or other parks, which shall be chargeable against the item for that purpose in the appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park; nor to pay damages incident to the acquisition of property, erection of sewerage disposal plants and sewerage system of Frankford creek area, which shall be chargeable against the item for that purpose in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys; nor for damages incident to the removal of grade crossings in South Philadelphia, as per contract dated March 23, 1914, which shall be charged against the items for that purpose in the appropriations to the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries and Public Works, Bureau of Surveys; nor for damages incident to the acquisition of land, erection, construction, and equipment of the Philadelphia General Hospital, and other buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Health and Charities, which shall be chargeable to the item for that purpose in the appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities; nor to pay claims arising under the Workmen's Compensation Act, which shall be chargeable to the item for that purpose in the appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer.

APPENDIX No. 5.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property, out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for alterations and improvements, City Hall.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to the Departments of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau, and Public Works, Bureau of City Property, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 190 (loan). Alterations and improvements, power plant, City Hall, fifty-seven thousand dollars	\$57,000
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 190 (loan). Alterations and improvements in the offices of Clerk of the Quarter Sessions and City Commissioners, forty-three thousand dollars	\$43,000
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APPENDIX No. 6.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, and City Commissioners, for the year 1916,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Aurtrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, and City Commissioners, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following

transfers in the annual appropriations, for the year 1916, viz.: Department of Public Safety: From Item 5 (a), electric arc lighting, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars. Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways: From Item 15 (b), salaries (inspectors when employed), fifty-seven (57) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents: From Item 21, wages, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; Bureau of Water: From Item 6, salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 10, salaries, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; from Item 12 (a), salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 14 (a), salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; Bureau of City Property: From Item 7 (a), salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 8 (a), removal of ashes, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 12 (c), Philadelphia Band, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; City Commissioners: From Item 1 (a), salary of janitress, five hundred and forty (540) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 20. Alterations and improvements to power plant, City Hall, thirty thousand dollars \$30,000

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 15 (b). Wages for inspectors (February 3, 1916). Albert J. Blair, \$2.84; C. L. Bolin, \$3.44; Howard A. Blum, \$2.84; Ralph Cannon, \$3.44; Ralph J. Childs, \$3.44; Robert K. Clifton, \$2.84; Charles L. Crouse, \$2.84; Harry Davenport, \$2.84; William H. Gosnell, Jr., \$2.84; W. M. Joyce, \$2.84; August H. Loehner, \$2.84; H. Robert Lehman, \$3.44; Carl F. Mohr, \$2.84; Otto Schwegler, \$2.84; S. J. Williamson, \$3.44; Harry Wolf, \$2.84; Wil-

liam J. Hare, \$2.84; and for Solomon Clark (accident), December 29th, 30th and 31st, \$6.00; total fifty-seven dollars and twenty-eight cents	\$57 28
Item 22 (a). Hire of teams, three thousand five hundred dollars	3,500

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 2 (a). Transportation, communication service, advertising and miscellaneous, two thousand dollars	\$2,000
Item 7. Transportation, etc., one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500
Item 15 (a). Transportation, etc., five hundred dollars	500
Item 18 (b). Carfare for inspectors, one thousand dollars	1,000

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 8 (j). Expenses incurred in the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of old City Hall and State House row, two thousand dollars.....	\$2,000
Item 12 (a). Laborers in squares, at \$2 per day each, etc. (from July 10th), two thousand five hundred dollars.....	2,500

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 1 (d). Extra clerk hire, five hundred and forty dollars	\$540
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APPENDIX No. 7.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make certain expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Aurtrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make certain expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, is hereby authorized to expend the following amounts out of Item 190 (loan), and to enter into contracts for the work herein set forth:

For the erection of buildings, with appurtenances at Byberry, for the Philadelphia Institution for the Feeble Minded, five hundred thousand dollars	\$500,000
For the erection at Byberry of buildings for the care of tubercular patients of the Philadelphia General Hospital, three hundred thousand dollars	300,000

Toward the erection of buildings, with all appurtenances, including railroad siding, etc., at Byberry, for the Philadelphia Hospital for the Insane (Male Department), one million five hundred thousand dollars. . . 1,500,000

APPENDIX No. 8.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Aurtrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in amounts ag-

gregating five thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight (5,958) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents, for supplies delivered under contracts between the awarding and the executing of the same, and chargeable against certain items, as follows: Department of Supplies (Correction): Item 17 (a), Salus & Son, for meat, etc., nine hundred and ninety (990) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; (Health): Item 6, Mason-Heflin Coal Co., for coal, one thousand six hundred and thirty-six (1,636) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; Item 7, Peter Hernig, for milk, five hundred and twenty-three (523) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; A. Salus & Son, for meat, etc., two thousand one hundred and seventy-eight (2,178) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; (Charities): Item 16, The Texas Co., for gasoline, one hundred and fifty-two (152) dollars; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): Item 5, A. Salus & Son, for meat, etc., three hundred and forty-three (343) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; Roesch Packing Co., for meat, etc., one hundred and thirty-three (133) dollars and forty-two (42) cents.

APPENDIX No. 9.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "A Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for the purchase of automobile trucks, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C.

Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for the purchase of automobile trucks.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for automobile trucks for the Bureau of Water against Item 25 in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies (Water), for the year 1916.

APPENDIX No. 10.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan certain plots of ground, with improvements thereon, situated in the Thirty-fourth Ward, for park and playground purposes, and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. Mc-

Carthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autreehy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To condemn and place upon the City plan certain plots of ground, with improvements thereon, situated in the Thirty-fourth Ward, for park and playground purposes, and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That by virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the fourth section of an Act of Assembly approved May 13, 1857, they do select and appropriate for park and playground purposes, and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, to wit: All those certain lots or pieces of ground, with improvements thereon, situate in the Thirty-fourth Ward. Beginning at the southeast corner of Fifty-eighth street and Haverford avenue; thence southward along the east side of Fifty-eighth street one hundred and thirty feet eleven and five-eighth inches; thence eastward on a line parallel with Callowhill street two hundred and six feet six and one-half inches; thence northeastward on a line at right angles with Haverford avenue eighty-nine feet eight and seven-eighth inches; thence northwestward along the southwest side of Haverford avenue two hundred and twenty-seven feet six inches to the place of beginning. And also all that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia: Beginning at the southwest corner of Fifty-seventh street and Haverford avenue; thence northwestward along the southwest side of Haverford avenue seventy-one feet nine and three-eighth inches; thence southwestward on a line at right angles with Haverford avenue seventeen feet one and one-eighth inches; thence southward on a line parallel with Fifty-seventh street one hundred and fourteen feet two and seven-eighth inches; thence eastward parallel with

Callowhill street seventy-three feet nine and five-eighth inches to the west side of Fifty-seventh street; thence northward along the west side of Fifty-seventh street one hundred and seventeen feet four and five-eighth inches to the place of beginning.

SECT. 2. That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and are hereby directed to place on the City plan as a public park and playground so much of the property described in Section 1 as is not now on the plan.

SECT. 3. The City Solicitor is hereby directed to file in the proper Court, on behalf of the City, a petition for the assessment of damages, and setting forth therein the ground herein selected and appropriated.

SECT. 4. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the taking of the tract of ground herein described. Upon the filing of said bond the said ground is hereby placed under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation, authorized by the Act of Assembly approved June 9, 1911, subject to such rules and regulations as have been and shall be from time to time established by the said Board of Recreation for the care, management and maintenance of public playgrounds, and the said Board is hereby authorized and directed to immediately enter upon said premises and take possession of the same.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 11.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which
was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and

directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants, and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Auntrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for temporary draftsmen.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of two temporary draftsmen for preliminary work incident to the improvement of various parks and squares now authorized, at a rate not exceeding one hundred (100) dollars each per month, chargeable against Loan Items Nos. 52, 160 and 170, appropriated to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property.

APPENDIX No. 12.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground, situate on the northwest side

of Hunting Park avenue six hundred and eight feet six inches northeast of Wissahickon avenue, for police and fire house purposes," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of lot of ground, situate on the northwest side of Hunting Park avenue six hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches northeast of Wissahickon avenue, for police and fire house purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to examine the title to premises situate on the northwest side of Hunting Park avenue, at the distance of six hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches northeast from the northeast side of Wissahickon avenue: containing in front or breadth on the said Hunting Park avenue twenty-five feet, and extending in length or depth northwesterly of that width between parallel lines at right angles with said Hunting Park avenue one hundred and ninety-five feet; and if he approves of the same, to cause a conveyance of said property to the City of Philadelphia, in fee, for police and fire house purposes. The consideration therefor not to exceed the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars, to be charged half against Item 190 (loan), Bureau of Police, and half against Item 190 (loan), Bureau of Fire, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Safety.

APPENDIX No. 13.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance selecting and appropriating certain lots or pieces of ground in the Fortieth Ward for sewage disposal purposes, and providing for payment of the cost of same,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

Selecting and appropriating certain lots or pieces of ground in the Fortieth Ward for sewage disposal purposes and providing for payment of the cost of same.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That by virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the Acts of Assembly approved March 26, 1903, and March 14, 1907, they do select and appropriate for sewage disposal purposes all those certain tracts or pieces of ground in the Fortieth Ward, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the east side of Tinicum Island Road, 33 feet wide, and the center line of Penrose Ferry Road, 33 feet wide; thence extending along the same north seventy-seven degrees ten minutes sixteen seconds east 381 253/1000 feet to a point in the line of land now or late of the City of Philadelphia;

thence extending along the same the following courses and distances: South twenty-three degrees nineteen minutes thirty-one seconds east 1132 227/1000 feet, south fifty-nine degrees forty minutes eighteen seconds west 340 044/1000 feet, south thirty-seven degrees five minutes thirty-eight seconds east 1750 59/100 feet, north fifty-four degrees fifty-three minutes twenty-nine seconds east 1563 144/1000 feet, south thirty-six degrees fifty-seven minutes thirty-one seconds east 1360 915/1000 feet, and north forty-four degrees fifty-one minutes twenty-two seconds east 731 262/1000 feet to a point in the center of Eagle Creek; thence along land now or late of Edgar N. and Daniel N. Black and Mary K. L. Black, crossing the right-of-way of the Southwestern Street Passenger Railway Company, the following courses and distances: South forty-three degrees twenty-four minutes fifteen seconds east 301 013/1000 feet, and south fifty-six degrees twenty-one minutes thirty-one seconds east 670 958/1000 feet to the center line of Back Channel and land belonging to the United States Government; thence in a southwesterly direction along the center line of the aforesaid Back Channel the several courses and distance the total distance of 3577 250/1000 feet to a point in the right-of-way of the Southwestern Street Passenger Railway Company; thence in the said right-of-way north twenty-one degrees forty-one minutes forty-four seconds east 37 504/1000 feet to a point on the northerly side of the Back Channel; thence extending in a westerly direction along the northerly side of the aforesaid Back Channel the several courses and distances the total distance of 3063 476/1000 feet to a point; thence south nine degrees eighteen minutes east 77 405/1000 feet to a point, the center line of the aforesaid Back Channel; thence in a northwesterly direction along the same the several courses and distances the total distance of 1839 31/100 feet to a corner of land now or late of the Estate of John P. Crozier; thence along the same the following courses and distances: north fifteen degrees five minutes forty-four seconds east 485 522/1000 feet, north sixty-two degrees forty-eight minutes twenty-eight seconds east 31 489/1000 feet, north fifteen degrees forty-eight minutes thirty-eight seconds east 1262 899/1000 feet, north twenty-

three degrees one minute eight seconds west 49 359/1000 feet, north fifteen degrees fifty-nine minutes fifty-one seconds east 653 318/1000 feet, south seventy-seven degrees fourteen minutes forty-five seconds east 106 228/1000 feet, north thirty-three degrees sixteen minutes forty-eight seconds east 1040 557/1000 feet, north seventy-one degrees fifty-five minutes forty-four seconds east 460 398/1000 feet, and north fifteen degrees sixteen minutes four seconds west 531 918/1000 feet to a point on the northwest side of a 33 feet wide lane; thence along the same south sixty-five degrees four minutes thirty-three seconds west 215 86/1000 feet to a point in line of land now or late of William E. Douglass; thence along the same north thirty-three degrees fifty-three minutes sixteen seconds west 659 824/1000 feet to a corner of land now or late of Harry A. Hunter; thence along the same north sixty-two degrees eleven minutes thirty-three seconds east 1009 792/1000 feet, crossing Tinicum Island Road, to a point on the east side of the same and in the line of land now or late of James G. Carson; thence along the east side of said road south seventeen degrees fifty-four minutes twenty-five seconds east 43 72/1000 feet to the center line of Penrose Ferry road, the first mentioned point and place of beginning: containing 483 21076/100000 acres, more or less; subject to the right-of-way of the Southwestern Street Passenger Railway Company. Also, all that certain tract or piece of ground in the Fortieth Ward, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center of Eagle Creek on the center line of Penrose Ferry road; thence along the center line of Penrose Ferry road and ground now or late of the City of Philadelphia, north seventy-seven degrees thirty-three minutes eighteen seconds east 948 feet to a point; thence still along ground belonging to the City of Philadelphia, south thirteen degrees eleven minutes forty-two seconds east 1016 feet to a corner; thence still along ground belonging to the City of Philadelphia, north seventy-eight degrees twenty-three minutes forty-two seconds west 243 feet to a point; thence still along ground belonging to the City of Philadelphia, south forty-eight degrees thirty-

eight minutes fifty-two seconds west 24 924/1000 feet to a point in the center of Eagle Creek; thence along the same and by ground of the said City of Philadelphia the several courses and distances the total distance of 1193 566/1000 feet to the center line of Penrose Ferry Road, the first mentioned point and place of beginning; containing 13 59017/100000 acres, more or less.

SECT. 2. The City Solicitor is hereby directed to institute the proper proceedings, in behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the taking of said property.

SECT. 3. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, in the name of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages that may be awarded by reason of the taking of the said ground, and thereupon possession of the same shall be taken for public use.

SECT. 4. The said damages to be charged against Item 196 (loan), toward acquisition of property, erection and construction of sewage disposal plants and sewerage system of Frankford Creek area, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys.

APPENDIX No. 14.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to place on the City plan, and condemn a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward for a public playground, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation,” respectfully report that they have

carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm^r J. Crawford, George D'Autreehy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan and condemn a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward for a public playground, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation.*

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That by virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the fourth section of an Act of Assembly approved May 13, 1857, they do select and appropriate for park and playground purposes, and for the health and enjoyment of the people, all that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Thirty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Oregon avenue, at its intersection with the center line of Randolph street, sixty-four (64) feet wide; thence southward along said center line for a distance of four hundred and thirty (430) feet to the center line of Johnston street, sixty (60) feet wide; thence westward along said center line of Johnston street for a distance of four hundred and seventy-four feet and seventy-five one hundredths of a foot (474.75) to a point in a prolongation of the easterly line of Sheridan street, forty (40) feet wide, as proposed to be placed upon the City plan; thence northward along said line of Sheridan street, as proposed, for a distance of four hundred and thirty (430) feet to the southerly line of Oregon avenue, one hundred and twenty (120) feet wide; thence eastward along the same for a distance of four hundred and seventy-four and seventy-five one-hundredths

(474.75) feet to the first mentioned point and place of beginning.

SECT. 2. That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan, as a public park and playground, the property described in Section 1.

SECT. 3. The City Solicitor is hereby directed to file in the Court of Quarter Sessions, on behalf of the City, a petition for the assessment of damages, and setting forth therein the ground herein selected and appropriated.

SECT. 4. As soon as the City shall become legally possessed of the tracts of ground herein described, the said tracts shall be placed under the control of the Board of Recreation, subject to such rules and regulations as have been, or shall from time to time be, established by the said Board of Recreation for the care, management and maintenance of public playgrounds.

SECT. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 15.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance, approved June 21, 1916, to authorize the purchase for park purposes of a plot of ground bounded by Buckins, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C.

Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend ordinance approved June 21, 1916, to authorize the purchase for park purposes of a plot of ground bounded by Buckins, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Section 1 of the ordinance approved June 21, 1916, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase for park purposes of a plot of ground bounded by Buckius, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets," which reads as follows:

"SECT. 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be directed to examine title to plot of ground bounded by the property line near the middle of Buckius street on the southwest, and by the proposed northeast line of Ash street on the northeast, and by the southeast line of Richmond street (as now opened) on the northwest, and by the northwest line of Bath street on the southeast, and if he approve the same, to cause a conveyance of said property to the City of Philadelphia for the sum of sixty thousand (60,000) dollars, to be taken out of Item 170 (loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property," be altered and amended by reading as follows:

"SECT. 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be directed to examine title to plot of ground bounded by the property line near the middle of Buckius street on the southwest and by the proposed northeast line of Ash street on the northeast, and by the southeast line of Richmond street (as now opened) on the northwest, and by the northwest line of Bath street on the southeast, excepting only

all those three certain lots or pieces of ground, with the improvements thereon erected situate on the southeast side of Richmond street, at the distance of two hundred and eighty feet, six inches southwestwardly from the southwest side of Jenks street, containing each in front or breadth on said Richmond street twenty feet, and each extending of that width in length or depth southeastwardly, between lines parallel with said Jenks street, each one hundred feet, and if he approve the same, to cause a conveyance of said property to the City of Philadelphia for the sum of sixty thousand (60,000) dollars, to be taken out of Item 170 (loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property."

APPENDIX No. 16.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan and condemn a plot of ground at Southampton avenue and Anderson street, in the Twenty-second Ward, for a public park and playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and to place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autreehy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan and condemn a plot of ground at Southampton avenue and Anderson street, in the Twenty-second Ward, for a public park and playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and to place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, By virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by Section 4, Act of Assembly approved May 13, 1857, they do select and appropriate for park and playground purposes, and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Twenty-second Ward, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Southampton avenue, at the distance of about one hundred and six (106) feet northeast from Ardleigh street; thence northeastwardly along the northwesterly side of Southampton avenue and the northwesterly side of Southampton avenue projected northeastwardly from Anderson street, about five hundred and seventy-five (575) feet to the westerly right-of-way line of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; thence along the same southeastwardly about one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet to a point in the line of ground now owned by the City of Philadelphia; thence along the same southwestwardly about five hundred and forty (540) feet to a point, thence northwestwardly, about parallel with Ardleigh street, about one hundred and sixty (160) feet to the first and mentioned point and place of beginning; containing about two and seven-tenths ($2\frac{7}{10}$) acres.

SECT. 2. The Department of Public Works, Board of Surveyors, be authorized and directed to place the property described in Section 1 on the City plan as a public park and playground: *Provided*, That the use and occupation of said tract of ground shall not interfere with the right of the City of Philadelphia to open and use the beds

of Southampton avenue and Anderson street, as now confirmed upon the City plan, as public highways.

SECT. 3. The City Solicitor is hereby directed to file in the Court of Quarter Sessions, on behalf of the City a petition for the assessment of damages, and setting forth therein the ground herein selected and appropriated.

SECT. 4. As soon as the City shall become legally possessed of the tracts of ground herein described, the said tracts shall be placed under the control of the Board of Recreation, subject to such rules and regulations as have been, or shall be from time to time, established by the said Board of Recreation for the care, management and maintenance of public playgrounds.

SECT. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 17.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement and development of certain small parks and recreation centers," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the improvement and development of certain small parks and recreation centers.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, be authorized and directed to improve Lanier Park and Reyburn Park by the erection of comfort stations at a cost not to exceed four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars each, to be taken out of Item 52 (loan).

SECT. 2. The Board of Recreation is hereby authorized and directed to develop, improve and equip the following recreation centers: Chargeable against Item 170 (loan), lot or piece of ground bounded by Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Jackson streets and Snyder avenue, the cost not to exceed fifty-nine thousand (59,000) dollars; and Water-view Recreation Center, the cost not to exceed five thousand (5,000) dollars; chargeable against Item 190 (loan), Funfield playground, the cost not to exceed twenty-three thousand (23,000) dollars; C and Indiana playground, the cost not to exceed forty-two thousand (42,000) dollars; Cresson, Cotton and Silverwood streets playground, the cost not to exceed fifty-five thousand (55,000) dollars; Christian street, east of Sixth street, playground, the cost not to exceed fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; Ann, Cambria and Cedar streets playground, the cost not to exceed fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Fifty-seventh street and Haverford avenue playground, the cost not to exceed fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; Francis, Shirley and Wylie streets playground, the cost not to exceed fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Provided, That in the event of any of said improvements costing less than the amounts specified, balances shall revert to the items mentioned for future allotment.

APPENDIX No. 18.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay bills incurred for material and supplies, and for services, personal and other than personal, by the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, Receiver of Taxes, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, and Clerks of Councils," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Crawford, Robert Smith, E. Buchholz, Simon Walter, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John J. McKinley, Jr., John H. Baizley, C. J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, George D'Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay bills incurred for material and supplies and for services, personal and other than personal, by the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, Receiver of Taxes, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, and Clerks of Councils.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That out of the four mil-*

lion nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, the sum of two hundred and seventy-six thousand nine hundred and eighteen (276,918) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to pay bills incurred for materials and supplies and for services, personal and other than personal, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

Item 200. German Daily Telegraph, advertising, thirty-five (35) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Public Ledger, advertising, thirty-six (36) dollars; Press Company, advertising, twenty-eight (28) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Philadelphia Record, advertising, thirty-five (35) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, ten (10) dollars; J. R. Hathaway, newspapers, thirty-seven (37) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; A. & J. Contole Bros., newspapers, one hundred and twelve (112) dollars and five (5) cents; Jacobs' Garage, auto hire, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Baker & Taylor Co., books, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Civil Service Chronicle, books, three (3) dollars; Amer. Auto Tire Jobbers, shoe and tube, fifty-nine (59) dollars and five (5) cents; A. M. Quinn, repairing radiator, eight (8) dollars; Jacobs' Garage, storage, gas, repairs, etc., thirty-six (36) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Prest-O-Lite Co., exchange tank, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents. Total, four hundred and eight (408) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents.

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 200. Job Pearson, wages (11 days, Dec., 1912), thirty (30) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Jos. S. Phillips, wages (22 days, Dec., 1914), forty-nine (49) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Jos. Jackson, wages (2 days, Dec., 1914), six (6) dollars; Dr. D. D. Custer, medical attendance (1914), one (1) dollar; Dr. J. A. Rainville,

medical attendance (1914), two (2) dollars; Dr. Morgan Kratz, medical attendance (1914), one (1) dollar; Dr. M. L. Levitt, medical attendance (1914), two (2) dollars; Lieut. Benj. F. Savage, carfare (1914), six (6) dollars; William Rainey, meals for prisoners (1914), twenty-five (25) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Western Union Tel. Co., communication services (1914), twelve (12) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Overland Motor Co., repairs to auto (1914), six (6) dollars and forty (40) cents; Locust Auto Supply Co., automobile tires (1914), eighty-eight (88) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Locust Auto Supply Co., automobile tires (1914), fifty-seven (57) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Elisha Webb & Son Co., fusible plugs (1914), five (5) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Life Saving Devices Co., lungmoter outfits complete with oxygen tanks, nine hundred and five (905) dollars; Vulcan Brazing & Mch. Co., repairs to auto patrols, ninety-six (96) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Dr. John Wanamaker, 3d, medical attendance, thirty-two (32) dollars; Dr. Chas. E. Bricker, medical attendance, four (4) dollars; Dr. R. Francis Taylor, medical attendance, seventeen (17) dollars; J. Paul Frantz, M. D., medical attendance, three (3) dollars; Dr. Carl Weiland, medical attendance, twenty-four (24) dollars; Wm. MacIntosh, M. D., medical attendance, six (6) dollars; Dr. J. A. Rainville, medical attendance, ten (10) dollars; Dr. Chas. H. J. Barnett, medical attendance, eight (8) dollars; Walter Gilbert, transportation, Fire Marshal's office, eighty-four (84) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Lieut. John J. Noon, transportation, juvenile prisoners, thirty (30) cents; George Stinger, transportation, juvenile prisoners, one (1) dollar and seventy-nine (79) cents; William Dailey, transportation, juvenile prisoners, fifteen (15) cents; J. H. Walker, hauling beds, thirty-nine (39) dollars; Chas. T. Groswith, hauling ashes, two hundred and nineteen (219) dollars; Lewis Boyer, towage, twenty (20) dollars; Mrs. May Dean, meals for prisoners, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; William Rainey, meals for prisoners, nine (9) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Catherine Agnew, meals for prisoners, nine (9)

dollars; A. W. Hornbeck, meals for prisoners, thirty-two (32) dollars; Wm. J. Jeffries, meals for prisoners, two (2) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Reuben Rhoads, meals for prisoners, sixteen (16) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Harry Daniels, meals for prisoners, thirty-eight (38) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Jas. W. Darrah & Son, horseshoeing, five (5) dollars; Mrs. H. H. Porter, horseshoeing, ten (10) dollars; John Corbett, horseshoeing, five (5) dollars; David C. Thompson, horseshoeing, forty (40) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Thomas C. Sloan, keep of horse, twenty-four (24) dollars; H. J. Hunsberger, keep of horse, twenty-three (23) dollars; B. J. Frazier, atty., keep of horse and auto, eighteen (18) dollars; The Baring Garage, keep of auto, fifteen (15) dollars; Postal Tel.-Cable Co., communication services, thirty-five (35) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Keystone Telephone Co., communication services, fifty-five (55) cents; Bell Telephone Co., communication services, four hundred and thirty-five (435) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Western Union Tel. Co., communication services, three hundred and seventy-eight (378) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Reliable Auto Radiator Repair Co., repairs to auto, thirteen (13) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs to adding machine, seventy-five (75) cents; Remington Typewriter Co., repairs to typewriter, seven (7) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Phila. Towel Supply & Laundry Co., towel service, ninety (90) cents; Excelsior Laundry Co., laundry, eight (8) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Kensington Shipyard Co., repairs to boat, seven (7) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; The Hainlen Co., repairs to autos, one hundred and seven (107) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Motor Parts Co., repairs to autos, sixty-five (65) dollars; A. & J. Contole Bros., newspapers, seventeen (17) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; J. R. Hathaway, newspapers, forty-three (43) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, cotton, three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Dennison Mfg. Co., gummed patches, twenty (20) cents; Keim Supply Co., repairs to harness, seventy-six (76) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; N. Snellenburg & Co., gloves, four hundred and three (403) dollars and fifty (50) cents;

Knickerbocker Lime Co., cement, eight (8) dollars and forty (40) cents; Geo. D. Wetherill & Co., Inc., paint, forty-eight (48) cents; N. Z. Graves Corp., putty, forty-eight (48) cents; American Radiator Co., repairs to boiler, two (2) dollars and seven (7) cents; Locust Auto Supply Co., auto tires, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; The Hainlen Co., auto tires, four hundred and twenty-two (422) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Samuel D. Lit, desks, sixty-nine (69) dollars; Remington Typewriter Co., table, five (5) dollars; William Davey's Son, repairs to badges, twenty-eight (28) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Bingham Co., ink, desk pads, cardboard, etc., seventy-one (71) dollars; John Haworth Co., photo supplies, forty (40) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., hardware, zone, standards, etc., five hundred and forty-two (542) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Walter Gilbert, to pay bills already incurred for carfare, detection, arrest and conviction of offenders, one warrant to be drawn to the order of Walter Gilbert, as per list attached, one thousand six hundred and eighty-three (1,683) dollars and fifty (50) cents. List as follows: Edward J. Agnew, seven (7) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; William F. Asher, nine (9) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Edward Auble, nine (9) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Jesse Brown, two (2) dollars and forty (40) cents; Joseph A. Brown, four (4) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; William J. Brown, six (6) dollars; Wm. J. Bunting, seven (7) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Wm. J. Belshaw, ten (10) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Charles Beckman, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Charles Barnes, six (6) dollars and ten (10) cents; William Boyer, three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; John Barron, nine (9) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; John E. Barrett, twenty-two (22) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Dorrance Booz, twelve (12) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Walter Branwell, eleven (11) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Chas. Baker, ten (10) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Frank Burke, eight (8) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Theo. M. Boyer, seven (7) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Oscar Brown, seven (7)

dollars and forty (40) cents; George Benz, seven (7) dollars and forty (40) cents; Jacob Blattau, four (4) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Robert Callahan, three (3) dollars and twenty (20) cents; John C. Curran, seven (7) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Matthew H. Clark, seven (7) dollars and eighty (80) cents; John J. Creeden, eleven (11) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Harry Cave, fifteen (15) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Vincent Cuneff, nine (9) dollars and ten (10) cents; John Clifton, nine (9) dollars; John L. Corry, thirteen (13) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Harry Cope, ten (10) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; James Clegg, four (4) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Stanley Dillon, two (2) dollars; Joseph Douglass, thirteen (13) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Robert Dunbar, nine (9) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; Robert Duff, eleven (11) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Andrew Daut, thirteen (13) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Earl Deane, seven (7) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; E. M. Davis, eleven (11) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Joseph Dervin, eleven (11) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Danied Dornack, nine (9) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Louis Downey, four (4) dollars and ten (10) cents; Wm. C. Engle, three (3) dollars and eighty (80) cents; William Ebald, twelve (12) dollars and five (5) cents; William Esher, seventeen (17) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Thomas Earnest, twelve (12) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Horace M. Fesmire, fourteen (14) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; William Fields, twelve (12) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Thomas K. Foster, thirteen (13) dollars; William A. Fritz, twelve (12) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Frank Freund, twenty-two (22) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Harry Franklin, fourteen (14) dollars and ten (10) cents; Dennis Falvey, twelve (12) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Edward Farmer, eight (8) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Louis Faries, five (5) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; William Fisher, six (6) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Frederick Frank, two (2) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Edward Farrell, seven (7) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Samuel Ford, three (3) dollars and forty (40) cents; William Gleason, thirteen (13) dol-

lars and forty (40) cents; Charles Grimm, eight (8) dollars and fifty (50) cents; George Gibson, eight (8) dollars and forty (40) cents; Edward Gulliford, eight (8) dollars and ten (10) cents; John P. Gerz, seventeen (17) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Ralph Gold, twenty-five (25) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; I. Gobinsky, six (6) dollars and forty (40) cents; Harry Greeby, six (6) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Jerry Geonnotti, seven (7) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; William Green, six (6) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Charles Hannum, eleven (11) dollars; Emmett Hammond, ten (10) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Samuel Huhn, thirteen (13) dollars and thirty (30) cents; John F. Hanlon, three (3) dollars and eighty (80) cents; John T. Holton, three (3) dollars and six (6) cents; Franklin Hodge, seven (7) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; John Haug, four (4) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; William Isaacs, seven (7) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Chas. B. Jackson, six (6) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; James Jerdon, four (4) dollars; Chas. W. Klett, thirteen (13) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Michael D. Keohane, six (6) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Martin Kelly, nine (9) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Michael Kearse, twelve (12) dollars and forty (40) cents; Thomas Kennedy, seventeen (17) dollars and thirty (30) cents; James D. Keys, twelve (12) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Charles Klein, eight (8) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Chas. Knapp, five (5) dollars and forty (40) cents; George F. Knott, seven (7) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Wm. G. Keuhn, one (1) dollar and sixty-nine (69) cents; Andrew J. Knox, six (6) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Joseph Keegan, two (2) dollars and eleven (11) cents; Andrew J. Knox, six (6) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Frank P. Kingsley, seven (7) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Harry Krag, two (2) dollars and seventy (70) cents; George Le Grand, twelve (12) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Jas. Lazelle, nine (9) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Wesley Lyons, twelve (12) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Frank K. Lowry, six (6) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Frank W. Lawrence, seven (7) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Edward J. Lynch, seven (7)

dollars and thirty (30) cents; John Mahaffey, twelve (12) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Daniel Meiklejohn, eleven (11) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; William S. Myers, eleven (11) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Thos. M. McFarland, ten (10) dollars; Thos. McFarland, fourteen (14) dollars and ten (10) cents; Dennis J. Martin, nineteen (19) dollars and five (5) cents; Thomas McDowell, eleven (11) dollars and ten (10) cents; Jos. V. Mellon, ten (10) dollars and eighty (80) cents; James Mulgrew, fourteen (14) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Wm. McCorkle, ten (10) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; James Malone, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Augustus McFall, four (4) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Vincent J. Martin, five (5) dollars and ten (10) cents; John McNeill, two (2) dollars; William Myers, one (1) dollar and fifty-five (55) cents; Vincent J. Martin, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; John Mahony, seven (7) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Wm. Mahoney, eight (8) dollars and ten (10) cents; Thos. McCullough, six (6) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Arthur Mulholland, six (6) dollars and eighty (80) cents; William Mitchell, six (6) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Thomas McDougall, one (1) dollar and seventy (70) cents; Charles McCullough, four (4) dollars and ninety (90) cents; John Nolan, thirteen (13) dollars and five (5) cents; John J. Noon, thirteen (13) dollars; James O'Hara, ten (10) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Thomas O'Neill, twelve (12) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Thomas Pendergast, fifteen (15) dollars and five (5) cents; William Pennsylv, eight (8) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jacob Patterson, eleven (11) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Elmer Printz, four (4) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Thomas Quinn, eight (8) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Frank Rhoads, seven (7) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Ralph Hasson, four (4) dollars and thirty (30) cents; George W. Howe, eleven (11) dollars and ten (10) cents; Clayton Hill, six (6) dollars; Jas. B. Richardson, twelve (12) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Harry Robson, four (4) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Phil M. Roseboro, eight (8) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Frank Reichart, twelve (12)

dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; John Redding, nine (9) dollars and ten (10) cents; Robert Reilly, five (5) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Hugh Reilly, six (6) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Harry J. Rich, seven (7) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Geo. Spilman, fourteen (14) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Edward Snell, five (5) dollars and five (5) cents; Louis Sibre, twenty (20) dollars and forty (40) cents; John W. Sells, nine (9) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Bayard Smith, twenty-three (23) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Frank Schneider, eleven (11) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Charles Smith, ten (10) dollars and thirty (30) cents; A. J. Sullivan, thirteen (13) dollars and forty (40) cents; William Seal, seventeen (17) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Peter Sheller, fourteen (14) dollars and five (5) cents; Fredk. Shrecklen, five (5) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Howard Sutton, six (6) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; Adam Reineck, twelve (12) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Garrett Redmond, eleven (11) dollars and ten (10) cents; Alex. Ritchie, twelve (12) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; F. E. V. Sappington, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Anthony Salvina, six (6) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; William Smith, one (1) dollar and seventy-five (75) cents; William Tyson, twenty-three (23) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Robert Test, thirteen (13) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Bernard Thornton, eight (8) dollars and twenty (20) cents; David Titus, twelve (12) dollars and forty (40) cents; Jos. Troyano, nine (9) dollars and ten (10) cents; Frank Veecks, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; R. L. Williams, thirteen (13) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Thos. Whalen, thirteen (13) dollars and five (5) cents; Mich. Wooten, seventeen (17) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Harry Weiss, fifteen (15) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Geo. Wharton, ten (10) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Geo. Weckesser, thirteen (13) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Geo. Whitworth, sixteen (16) dollars and seventy (70) cents; A. C. Walker, thirteen (13) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; H. A. Woodruff, four (4) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Albert Walter, six (6) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Harry Walker, one (1) dollar and thirty

(30) cents; and to pay the following bills: Dr. A. F. Allman, medical attendance, twenty-four (24) dollars; to refund to Frederick Harnack amount paid for wagon purchased at pick-up sale at van stables, Bureau of Police, and which was later returned to owner without compensation, twenty-one (21) dollars; to pay salary of Policeman Christian Mattie, who was dismissed August 21, 1913, and reinstated July, 1914, being money due for a period of four months and ten days, three hundred and forty-nine (349) dollars and eighty (80) cents. Total, seven thousand and fifteen (7,015) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents.

BUREAU OF FIRE.

Item 200. Geissel & Richardson, lumber, one thousand eight hundred and fifty (1,850) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; McCambridge Co., plumbing materials, one thousand and sixteen (1,016) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents; J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., hardware, two hundred and forty-four (244) dollars and six (6) cents; Jas. J. Quigley & Son, materials, five hundred and sixty-two (562) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents; Jas. Boyd & Bro., Inc., repairs to apparatus, three hundred and sixteen (316) dollars and two (2) cents; Charles T. Groswith, removing ashes, two hundred and one (201) dollars; Front Drive Motor Company, repairs to apparatus, three hundred and eighty-three (383) dollars; Alco Service Company, repairs to apparatus, ninety-seven (97) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Commercial Truck Company of America, repairs to apparatus, eighty-two (82) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Sigmond Wenzel Elec. Weld. Company, repairs to apparatus, seventy-five (75) dollars; Seagrave Company, repairs to apparatus, twenty-nine (29) dollars; Western Electric Company, repairs, four (4) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; The White Company, repairs to apparatus, two hundred and two (202) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, tires, etc., seventy-eight (78) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; Couple Gear Freight Wheel Company, repairs to apparatus, thirty-five (35) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; William M. Frost, lumber, forty-six (46) dollars

and thirty-three (33) cents; Prest-O-Lite Company, Inc., repairs to apparatus, eleven (11) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; International Motor Company, repairs to apparatus, forty (40) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; Philadelphia Gear Works, repairs to apparatus, eight (8) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; John L. Smith, maps, twenty-four (24) dollars; Geo. Hazlett & Son, shoeing, one hundred and ninety-one (191) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; James Gray, shoeing, seventy-nine (79) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; John J. McKinley & Son, shoeing, four (4) dollars and eighty (80) cents; John Kleiber, shoeing, eight (8) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Mark J. Donohue, shoeing, twenty-three (23) dollars and forty (40) cents; Charles F. Hecht, Mgr., shoeing, thirty (30) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; David C. Thompson, shoeing, nine (9) dollars and forty (40) cents; David E. Roark, shoeing, thirty-seven (37) dollars and fifty (50) cents; John Ryan, shoeing, eight (8) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Thomas B. Sheehan, shoeing, twenty (20) dollars and seventy (70) cents; G. J. Strickland, shoeing, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; John C. Smiley Estate, shoeing, twenty (20) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Frederick Hoff Estate, shoeing, thirty-one (31) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; William E. Murphy, shoeing, twenty-two (22) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; John R. Cairns, shoeing, twenty (20) dollars and sixty (60) cents; David Simpson, shoeing, thirteen (13) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Alex. H. Carroll & Son, shoeing, nineteen (19) dollars and three (3) cents; Harry Bradley, shoeing, twenty-four (24) dollars and seventy (70) cents; John F. McAnulty, shoeing, three (3) dollars and seventy (70) cents; P. F. McDade, shoeing, five (5) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Harry S. Ashton, shoeing, six (6) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Sullivan Brothers, shoeing, six (6) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Caspar M. Titus, shoeing, five (5) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Joseph Donnell, shoeing, seven (7) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; A. Schulz, shoeing, thirty-three (33) dollars and five (5) cents; Hugh McGowan, shoeing, seventeen (17) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Charles Blanke, shoeing, ten (10) dollars and fif-

teen (15) cents; James B. Roberts, shoeing, twenty-eight (28) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Harry Carrigan, shoeing, fifty (50) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Daniel McKinney, shoeing, four (4) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; John Heisley, shoeing, sixteen (16) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Philip J. Woods, shoeing, forty (40) dollars and seventy (70) cents; William J. Bradley, shoeing, eight (8) dollars; James J. Clark, shoeing, fifteen (15) dollars and forty (40) cents; M. S. Kelchner, shoeing, seventeen (17) dollars and ten (10) cents; Thomas J. Woods, shoeing, sixteen (16) dollars and sixty (60) cents; John Corbett, shoeing, twenty-nine (29) dollars and thirty (30) cents; J. Alexander Ireland, shoeing, six (6) dollars and five (5) cents; Daniel J. Tinney Estate, shoeing, two (2) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Peter C. Getz, shoeing, eleven (11) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; John J. McCormick, shoeing, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; John P. Gibbons, shoeing, thirty (30) dollars; H.W. Pulch and John J. O'Donnell, shoeing, eighty-six (86) dollars and five (5) cents; Frank Gray, shoeing, five (5) dollars; Alexander McKee, shoeing, twenty-one (21) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; J. F. Rinehart, shoeing, two (2) dollars and seventy (70) cents; J. Charles Piel, shoeing, seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Evening Bulletin, advertising, thirty-two (32) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, twenty-one (21) dollars; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising, nineteen (19) dollars and eighty (80) cents; German Daily Gazette, advertising, forty-four (44) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Philadelphia Record, advertising, forty (40) dollars and fifty (50) cents. Total, six thousand five hundred and thirty-eight (6,538) dollars and forty-one (41) cents.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 200. N. E. Henderson, repairs, fifty-two (52) dollars; Whalen-Crosby Company, repairs, eight (8) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Keim Supply Company, harness, thirteen (13) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Lamar F. Brunner, telephone supplies, seventy-four (74) dollars and

twenty-five (25) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, disinfectant, five (5) dollars; Lamar F. Brunner, electric repairs, fifty-three (53) dollars; F. B. Clayton's Sons, repairs, three (3) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Cleverly Electrical Works, washers, fifteen (15) dollars; J. B. Shannon Hardware Company, hardware, four (4) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Novelty Elec. Company, hardware, two (2) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Phila. Wagon Works, repairs, nine (9) dollars; Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, police patrol parts, sixteen (16) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Nu-Led Specialty Company, receiver caps, ninety-five (95) dollars; Phila. Brick Company, bricks, thirty (30) dollars; J. J. Quigley & Sons, repairs, four (4) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, police patrol box parts, forty (40) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Novelty Electric Company, repairs, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; Leed & Northrup Co., repairs, two (2) dollars; C. M. Titus, repairs, four (4) dollars; Phila. Electric Company, painting poles and lamps, thirty (30) dollars; Phila. Electric Company, current, two hundred and thirty-seven (237) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; Farrar & Parker, repairs, five (5) dollars; Lit Bros., repairs, seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Library Bureau, desk repairs, three (3) dollars; Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, police patrol box parts, forty-four (44) dollars; Cleverly Electric Works, repairs, forty-five (45) dollars; Cleverly Electric Works, repairs, forty-eight (48) dollars; Cleverly Electric Works, washers, seven (7) dollars; Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, repairs, eighty-three (83) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; C. M. Titus, repairs, thirty-two (32) dollars and five (5) cents; George B. Clopp, repairs, forty-eight (48) dollars and forty (40) cents; Patrick, Carter & Wilkins, repairs, fourteen (14) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents; Globe Tire and Rubber Co., tires, eighty-one (81) dollars and six (6) cents; E. W. Patterson, auto storage and repairs, one hundred and six (106) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; Keystone Auto Top Company, repairs to auto, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Atlantic Refining Company, oil, thirteen (13) dollars and

fifteen (15) cents; Hugh McAnany, rent of storage shed, seventy (70) dollars; Thomas Hawkins, skylight glass, six (6) dollars; North American, advertising, thirty (30) dollars; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising, twenty-six (26) dollars and forty (40) cents; Jos. F. Schiller, repairs, forty-nine (49) dollars; Walker & Kepler, electrical materials, forty-four (44) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Western Electric Company, electrical materials, twenty-three (23) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Edwin H. Vare, repairs, fifteen (15) dollars; Fletcher Company, printing, fifty-nine (59) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Babcock & Wilcox, check valves and parts, sixty-one (61) dollars and eighty (80) cents; E. J. Rooksby, repairs, eight (8) dollars; Bell Telephone Company, telephone service, one thousand four hundred and ninety-three (1,493) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; American Iron Works, repairs, four hundred and ninety-six (496) dollars. Total, three thousand six hundred and twenty-eight (3,628) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents.

BUREAU OF ELEVATOR INSPECTION.

Item 200. Gibson Gas Fixtures Works, electrical fixtures, twenty-two (22) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

Item 200. To pay for damage caused to automobile belonging to Miss Louise Deckert, one hundred and twenty-nine (129) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Curtis Publishing Company, drawings for and engravings for woodcuts of the seal of Philadelphia, two hundred and thirty-six (236) dollars. Total, three hundred and sixty-five (365) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 200. For advertising: German Daily Gazette Publishing Company, one hundred and ten (110) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Public Ledger, sixty-nine (69) dollars and thirty (30) cents; The North American, sixty-

one (61) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Press Company, twenty-eight (28) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Philadelphia Tageblatt, eighty-five (85) dollars and twenty (20) cents; The Evening Telegraph, one hundred and ninety-two (192) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Inquirer, nine (9) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents. For storage of automobiles and motorcycles: J. Harry Schmacker & Co. (1914), four (4) dollars; Fortieth Street Garage, three (3) dollars; Germantown Cycle Company, three (3) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Alexander Allan, eight (8) dollars; Auto Garage Company, one (1) dollar. For repairs to automobiles: Auto Garage Company, one hundred and seventy-two (172) dollars and forty (40) cents; Carlile & Doughty, two (2) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Cavanaugh's Garage, ten (10) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Empire Auto Top Company, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Germantown Cycle Company, three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Globe Tire Repair Company, one (1) dollar and five (5) cents; H. W. Johns-Manville Company, four (4) dollars; Knox Motor Association, nine (9) dollars and ninety (90) cents; The Locomobile Company of America, seventeen (17) dollars and fifty (50) cents; J. H. McCullough & Son, nine (9) dollars and eighty (80) cents; R. C. Wall Mfg. Co., eleven (11) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Philadelphia Speedometer Service Company, three (3) dollars. For miscellaneous repairs: James A. Ryan, Jr., seventy (70) cents; L. C. Smith & Bros., five (5) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Strawbridge & Clothier, seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Williams, Brown & Earle, seventy-five (75) cents; Frederick Elvidge & Son, two (2) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Remington Typewriter Company, two (2) dollars and ten (10) cents. For fees for automobile and motorcycle licenses: Frederick W. Ruppenthal, six (6) dollars. For communication service: The Bell Telephone Company, sixteen (16) dollars and eight (8) cents; Postal Telegraph Cable Company, sixty-two (62) cents. For subscription to magazine: The American City, two (2) dollars. For miscellaneous service: The Philadelphia Electric Company, one (1) dollar and ten (10) cents; The Red Cross Antiseptic Telephone Mouth

Piece Co., eight (8) dollars and forty (40) cents; Wm. M. Price (mosquito booklets), fifty (50) dollars; William H. Rau (photograph), five (5) dollars; Geo. W. Bockius (use of dump, clean-up week, 1914), thirteen (13) dollars. For use of steam roller: Barber Asphalt Paving Co., thirteen (13) dollars and fifty (50) cents. For legal expenses refunded on account of annulment of contracts: Barber Asphalt Paving Co., twenty (20) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Union Paving Co., eighty (80) dollars and sixty (60) cents. For repaving over ditch: Paul J. Snyder & Co., seventeen (17) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents. For amounts due on contracts for excess work: Barber Asphalt Paving Co., three hundred and ninety-five (395) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; Cunnigham Paving and Construction Co., forty-two (42) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; Frank Curran, one hundred and one (101) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Eastern Paving Co., twenty-seven (27) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; McNichol Paving and Construction Co., one thousand five hundred and forty-one (1,541) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Mack Paving and Construction Co., two hundred and one (201) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; E. H. Vare (with interest), one thousand and ninety-seven (1,097) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Newton Paving Co., three hundred and thirty-one (331) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; R. J. & A. Peoples, one hundred and sixty-six (166) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Philadelphia Paving Co., six hundred and fifty-four (654) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Paul J. Snyder & Co., fifty (50) dollars; Union Paving Co., two thousand one hundred and twenty-seven (2,127) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Estate of David McMahon (with interest), two thousand six hundred and ninety-one (2,691) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents. For material and labor used in repairs to bridges: Charles P. Grim, one hundred and ninety-four (194) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; Paul J. Snyder & Co., one hundred and seventy-nine (179) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents. For removal of building (emergency): J. Joseph McHugh, forty-seven (47) dollars. For paving street in front of property exempted from assessment; J. Joseph McHugh, two hundred and fifty-one (251) dollars and

thirty-three (33) cents. For paving footway in front of property exempted from assessment: Joseph Gramlich Paving Co., one hundred and sixty (160) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents. For amount due for paving and repaving (not under contract): Union Paving Co., four hundred and sixty-nine (469) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents. For transportation (car tickets): Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., three thousand two hundred and fifty-five (3,255) dollars. For communication (stamps and postal cards): John Wanamaker, two hundred and sixty-eight (268) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents. For meals, telephone and miscellaneous expenses of inspectors and other employees: John S. Byrne, one (1) dollar and sixty (60) cents; John T. Aldrich, three (3) dollars and forty (40) cents; J. G. Bailey, sixty (60) dollars; Wm. C. Bailey, one (1) dollar and thirty (30) cents; E. S. Banister, one (1) dollar and thirty-five (35) cents; Clinton Bean, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; H. F. Beck, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; F. A. Benton, two (2) dollars and ninety (90) cents; G. Bergman, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; P. Bescherer, two (2) dollars and thirty (30) cents; C. S. Bird, two (2) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; A. J. Blair, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; Jacob Brehm, three (3) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; F. E. Brenner, one (1) dollar and fifteen (15) cents; R. V. Brown, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; H. S. Brugh, five (5) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Edward N. Butler, seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents; John M. Cook, ninety-five (95) cents; Wilbert C. Cornell, two (2) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Dudley T. Corning, seventy-five (75) cents; N. I. Craig, four (4) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; H. L. Danenhauer, four (4) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Henry Davenport, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; Cleveland Dean, one (1) dollar and ten (10) cents; Albert W. Deininger, two (2) dollars; Charles Denver, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; Harry Feldman, one (1) dollar and ninety (90) cents; R. B. Ferris, six (6) dollars and fifty (50) cents; W. N. Fish, thirty-nine (39) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Ira F. Fuhrmann, two (2) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Warren D. Fuller, three (3) dollars and

twenty-five (25) cents; W. D. Gernet, thirty (30) dollars; Edw. C. Glaser, one (1) dollar and twenty (20) cents; W. H. Gosnell, Jr., one (1) dollar and fifteen (15) cents; Edw. D. Graffin, one (1) dollar and fifty-five (55) cents; Harry P. Greeves, sixty-five (65) cents; Owen Hand, Jr., one (1) dollar and seventy (70) cents; John F. Hanlon, twenty-four (24) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Wm. J. Hare, eighty (80) cents; Jesse S. Hasson, three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Frank M. Hauser, two (2) dollars; Roger Haydock, four (4) dollars and five (5) cents; J. Q. A. Holloway, one (1) dollar and ten (10) cents; John Horridge, two (2) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Samuel B. Hurst, Jr., two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Edward P. Huttger, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; Thomas E. James, three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; F. X. Kern, Jr., five (5) dollars and fifty (50) cents; A. D. Kligman, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; F. W. Knox, one (1) dollar and twenty (20) cents; Wm. H. Siegel, two (2) dollars and ten (10) cents; Wm. S. Felton, seventeen (17) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Philip Landow, seventy-five (75) cents; Samuel B. Lastman, ten (10) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Harry Laycock, two (2) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; H. Robt. Lehmann, two (2) dollars and ten (10) cents; H. G. Leng, eight (8) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; S. S. Levine, seventy (70) cents; Wm. J. Lowe, four (4) dollars and thirty (30) cents; James F. McCabe, one (1) dollar and fifteen (15) cents; H. T. McGaughan, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; L. McVey, eighty-five (85) cents; David Mahoney, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; Chas. A. Matthews, fifteen (15) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Harry A. Mazer, two (2) dollars; A. G. Mehler, seventy-five (75) cents; J. J. Montgomery, thirty-three (33) dollars and thirty (30) cents; C. A. Moran, twenty-two (22) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; John B. Moran, one (1) dollar and sixty-eight (68) cents; S. Mulverstedt, thirty-five (35) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; F. A. Myers, seventy-five (75) cents; James Nerney, two (2) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Joseph M. Noonan, twenty-five (25) dollars and ten (10) cents; E. R. Olbrich, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents;

Jas. W. Osborn, two (2) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; E. R. Patterson, one (1) dollar and seventy-five (75) cents; Earle Pepper, seven (7) dollars; Rocco Pili-rea, two (2) dollars and ten (10) cents; H. H. Platt, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; P. F. Proctor, thirty-five (35) cents; Richard W. Reed, one (1) dollar and fifteen (15) cents; Harry M. Reid, one (1) dollar; James A. Ryan, four (4) dollars and fifty (50) cents; L. C. Ryder, three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents; L. W. Schrader, one (1) dollar and ten (10) cents; Otto F. Schwegler, two (2) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Frank J. Sepas, seventy-five (75) cents; J. B. Shallcross, three (3) dol-lars and seventy-five (75) cents; Frank E. Smith, one (1) dollar and five (5) cents; Maurice V. Smyser, four (4) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Paul M. Snavelly, seven-teen (17) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; David Stew-art, thirty (30) dollars and eighty (80) cents; L. Rae Sturts, seventy (70) cents; S. G. Sugarbread, two (2) dol-lars and eighty (80) cents; Patrick Sullivan, eleven (11) dollars and ten (10) cents; Benj. L. Taylor, four (4) dollars and ten (10) cents; T. E. Transeau, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Paul H. Turnbull, fifty (50) cents; A. W. Turner, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Frank Wagner, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; H. A. Walker, three (3) dol-lars; George W. Wall, Jr., three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Thomas A. Waters, two (2) dollars and thirty (30) cents; H. Wells, seven (7) dollars and sixty (60) cents; H. R. White, one (1) dollar and thirty-five (35) cents; W. L. Whitman, twenty (20) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Ralph Childs, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents; I. Garfield Lockhart, seventy (70) cents; Wm. S. Groves (salary, May, 1912), ninety (90) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents. For wages due foreman and laborers (Meadow Banks division and streets): Patrick McBride, twenty-one (21) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; Antonio Di Stephano, nineteen (19) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Beril Weiser, ten (10) dollars; Edw. Bannister, sixty (60) dollars; John Brown, sixteen (16) dollars; George W. Everett, sixteen (16) dollars;

Henry Heckman, twenty (20) dollars; Edwin Henry, twenty (20) dollars; Joseph Hold, four (4) dollars; Charles B. Pearson (foreman), thirty-two (32) dollars; John Spain, twenty (20) dollars; Joseph Stein, thirteen (13) dollars; Robt. Welsh, twenty (20) dollars; Jos. Whartonby, twenty (20) dollars; James Higgins, six (6) dollars; Wm. T. Maguire, eighteen (18) dollars; Henry Holloway, ten (10) dollars; Isaac Miller, thirty-four (34) dollars; Dominic Pallante, sixteen (16) dollars; Michael Veneziale, twenty-four (24) dollars. For miscellaneous supplies: Alexander Allan, gas and oil, twelve (12) dollars and eighty (80) cents; James A. Allen, stationery, thirteen (13) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Robert Anderman, stationery, four (4) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Auto Garage Company, gasoline and oil, three (3) dollars and one (1) cent; Barrett Mfg. Co., road oil, fifty-one (51) dollars and three (3) cents; John Baker, Jr., asphalt, three hundred and two (302) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Coupes Central Garage, gas, eighty (80) cents; Cavanaugh's Garage, gas, sixty-nine (69) cents; Dunlap Printing Company, printed forms, three hundred and five (305) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; Chas. J. Fields' Sons, rule, sixty-five (65) cents; Fortyninth Street Garage (J. H. Howgate), gas, four (4) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; Germantown Motor Car Co., gas, five (5) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; Germantown Cycle Co., gas and oil, fifty-five (55) cents; Paul W. Gibbons, printed forms, forty-six (46) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., Inc., graphite paint, thirteen (13) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Haddington Garage, oil, forty-five (45) cents; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., stationery, nineteen (19) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Keystone Blue Paper Co., blue-print paper and drawing paper, seventy-six (76) dollars and two (2) cents; Keystone Envelope Co., correspondence folders, fourteen (14) dollars; Wm. Lintz, gas, forty (40) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; A. P. Little, typewriter ribbons, eight (8) dollars; Moore Push Pin Co., map tacks, twenty-six (26) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; J. H.

McCullough & Son, gas, thirty (30) cents; Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., coal, three hundred and fifty-three (353) dollars and ten (10) cents; Overbrook Heights Garage, gas and oil, eight (8) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Phila. Quartz Co., road grit, twenty-three (23) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Manwaring & Cummins, team hire, etc., thirty-five (35) dollars; A. Pomerantz & Co., stationery, five (5) dollars and eighteen (18) cents; Priestly Printers, printed forms, thirty-six (36) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; P. R. T. Co., cinders, five hundred and thirty-five (535) dollars; Howard S. Roberts Co., castings, seven (7) dollars and ninety (90) cents; J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., screws, thirty-seven (37) cents; Whiting-Patterson Co., paper, twenty-one (21) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Waldin's Garage, gas and oil, five (5) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; Wayne Ave. Garage, gas, one (1) dollar and twenty-seven (27) cents; John Wanamaker, map mounted and framed, five (5) dollars; Williams, Brown & Earle, photo material, eleven (11) dollars and seventy (70) cents; L. Rae Sturts, gas, eighty-five (85) cents; Germantown Motor Car Co., gas, one (1) dollar and twenty-five (25) cents; Haddington Garage, gas, one (1) dollar and ninety-five (95) cents; Wm. Lintz, gas, forty-seven (47) dollars and three (3) cents; Frank S. Johnson, torpedo gravel, one thousand five hundred and sixty-four (1,564) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Manwaring & Cummins, asphalt, five hundred and seventy-nine (579) dollars and seven (7) cents; Barrett Mfg. Co., cold patching, nine hundred and eighty-five (985) dollars and eight (8) cents; United Gas Imp. Co., tarvia, seventy-two (72) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Union Paving Co., slag block, nineteen (19) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents. For contractors' liability: Eastern Paving Co., two (2) dollars and fourteen (14) cents; Philadelphia Paving Co., eight (8) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents. For hire of teams (streets and roads): Charles L. Bader, seventy-three (73) dollars and eighty (80) cents; John J. Sloan & Co., one thousand six hundred and six (1,606) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; Richard P. Bennis, one thousand and sixteen (1,016) dol-

lars and forty (40) cents. For hire of teams (sewers): George Bald, five hundred and sixty-four (564) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Jas. A. Crawford, five hundred and sixty-one (561) dollars and sixty (60) cents; John Devlin, Jr., five hundred and sixty-one (561) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Thomas Duffin, five hundred and sixty-five (565) dollars and eighteen (18) cents; James Feeney, five hundred and sixty-one (561) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Joseph Garrity, six hundred and eleven (611) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; James O'Leary, five hundred and sixty-four (564) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Wm. Reed, five hundred and sixty-one (561) dollars and sixty (60) cents. For hire of teams (bridges): Louis Hansbury, twenty-six (26) dollars; Charles Vogel, six hundred (600) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Wm. Reed, four hundred and thirteen (413) dollars and forty (40) cents. For sprinkling service: Estate of David McMahon, four thousand two hundred and four (4,204) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Richard P. Bennis, five thousand seven hundred and fifteen (5,715) dollars and nine (9) cents. For removal of snow (1915-1916): McNichol Paving and Construction Co., five thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (5,921) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; James Irvin, four hundred and forty (440) dollars and fifty (50) cents; James A. Mullen, two hundred and eighty-six (286) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Thomas Flanagan, one thousand five hundred and eighty-one (1,581) dollars and sixty (60) cents; H. E. Ruch, thirty-eight (38) dollars; D. W. Anders, three thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (3,258) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Estate of David McMahon, nine hundred and sixty-three (963) dollars; Edwin H. Vare, five thousand two hundred and thirty-three (5,233) dollars and sixty (60) cents; P. J. Snyder & Co., four thousand seven hundred and twelve (4,712) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Frank L. Bader, two thousand seven hundred and twenty-one (2,721) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; J. Devlin, Jr., four thousand and fifty-six (4,056) dollars and eighty (80) cents; James D. Dorney, two thousand two hundred and thirty (2,230) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents;

Harry Magee, one thousand two hundred and sixty-seven (1,267) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; P. C. Eisele, two thousand two hundred and five (2,205) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; R. J. & A. Peoples, six hundred (600) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; J. Gonelli, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen (1,914) dollars and one (1) cent; Newton Paving Co., three hundred and eighty (380) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents; Thomas P. Lee, five hundred and seventy-one (571) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Frank Mark Contracting Co., four hundred and thirty (430) dollars and thirty (30) cents; J. J. McHugh, eight hundred and forty-nine (849) dollars and fourteen (14) cents; W. F. O'Connor Co., eight (8) dollars; H. A. McCleman & Bro., seventeen (17) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Charles L. Bader, one thousand and thirty-nine (1,039) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Austin Greer, eighty-three (83) dollars and twenty (20) cents; H. C. Ambler, two hundred and forty-one (241) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Keating & Company, three hundred and sixty-three (363) dollars and sixty (60) cents; to pay bill of Daniel S. Bader, for emergency grading on Sixty-third street, at Passyunk avenue (with interest), two thousand five hundred and ninety-one (2,591) dollars and twelve (12) cents; to pay John McMenamy half the excess amount paid by him to the Pennsylvania Railroad, incident to the construction of a bridge on the line of Hunting Park avenue, under the Chestnut Hill Branch of the Connecting Railway, two thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (2,927) dollars; to pay bill of Union Paving Company, for paving done on the east side of Fifth street and the north side of Lindley avenue, in front of Roman Catholic Church of the Incarnation, one thousand three hundred and sixty-four (1,364) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; to pay bills of Cunningham Paving and Construction Company, for paving of streets bounding the Congregation of the Mission of St. Vincent de Paul, as follows: Northeast side of Sprague street, corner northwest side of Cheltenham avenue, five hundred and seventy-two (572) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; northeast side of Sprague street, corner southeast side of

Price street, seven hundred and eighty-six (786) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; southeast side of Price street, corner northeast side of Sprague street, six hundred and ninety (690) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; total, two thousand and forty-nine (2,049) dollars and twenty (20) cents; to pay bill of Samuel W. Sutton, for use and occupation of properties Nos. 68, 70 and 72 Brighthurst street, from April 1, 1912, to October 1, 1912, five hundred and forty (540) dollars: *Provided, however,* That the said Samuel W. Sutton shall execute and deliver to the City of Philadelphia a release of all claims which he has, might or may have against the City for or by reason of the use and occupancy of said premises. Total, ninety thousand eight hundred and twenty-three (90,823) dollars and eighty (80) cents.

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 200. Allied Arts Publishing Co., magazine, two (2) dollars; American Ice Company, ice, four hundred and forty-five (445) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents; Albert Anderman, fountain pen and repairing fountain pen, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Andorra Nurseries, oak trees, one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars; Atlantic Refining Co., motor oil, eight (8) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Auxiliary Fire Alarm Co., fire alarm service, fifty-four (54) dollars; Charles Bastian, removing snow, four (4) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Anton Bauman, removing snow, fourteen (14) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Benjamin F. Bevan, wreath, five (5) dollars; William W. Biddison, removing snow, sixteen (16) dollars and forty (40) cents; George W. Bogert, removing snow, ten (10) dollars and sixty (60) cents; L. S. Bowers Company, rear housing—Cole car, twenty-seven (27) dollars; Alexander J. Boyd, removing snow, thirty-eight (38) dollars and ten (10) cents; Brilliant Mfg. Co., illuminated metal signs, ninety-five (95) dollars; Joseph W. Carmichael, removing snow, twenty-three (23) dollars and sixty (60) cents; John H. Carroll, removing snow, twenty-one (21) dollars; Harry L. Cas-

seday, removing snow, three (3) dollars; Cavanaugh's Garage, repairs to Cole car, grease and oil, thirty-six (36) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Wm. F. Chambers, removing snow, two (2) dollars and forty (40) cents; Robert Craig Co., Pandanus Veitchii, five (5) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; C. F. Crosbee, removing snow, fifty (50) dollars and fifty (50) cents; R. J. Crozier Company, extra hauling, two (2) dollars; Edw. Darby & Sons Co., cash discount not allowed, seven (7) dollars and five (5) cents; William Davey's Sons, badge, six (6) dollars and fifty (50) cents; John Devlin, Jr., hauling and excess work, Westmoreland Square, sixty-two (62) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; John Difer, removing snow, seventeen (17) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Disston Water Co., water rent, comfort station, Disston Park, one hundred (100) dollars; John B. Doherty, removing snow, nine (9) dollars and sixty (60) cents; John J. Dowdell, removing snow, nineteen (19) dollars and twenty (20) cents; John Duffy, removing snow, thirty-one (31) dollars; John H. Earley, bricks, ninety-two (92) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; Charles W. Fagan, carfare, three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Fleck Bros. Co., wall hanging closet, thirty-five (35) dollars; James P. Gartland, removing snow, eighteen (18) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Robert Glennie, removing snow, five (5) dollars; Globe Tire and Rubber Co., tires and tubes, sixty-one (61) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., Inc., paint and varnish remover, thirteen (13) dollars; Charles T. Gros-with, cinders and miscellaneous hauling, five thousand three hundred and twenty-six (5,326) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; Fred. A. Havens Co., inspector's services, seventy-two (72) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; M. J. Heavey, burlap and draperies, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars and fifty (50) cents; C. F. Herman's Storage Warehouse, grate and sheet iron wings, ten (10) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Norman E. Hertzler, ammonia, sixty-five (65) cents; The Horn & Brannen Mfg. Co., cost of filing bond, contract annulled, thirteen (13) dollars; Robert W. Hornsby, removing snow, twenty-three

(23) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., fountain pens, five (5) dollars; P. J. Hurley, extra work, Independence Square, four hundred and ninety-eight (498) dollars; Lamb Brothers, hangers, one (1) dollar and twenty (20) cents; Harry Lautenbach, removing snow, twenty-five (25) dollars; Leary, Stuart & Co., books, forty-eight (48) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Thomas V. Lilly, removing snow, twenty-two (22) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Francis S. Markland, repairs to asphalt and cement work, eight hundred and sixty (860) dollars and ten (10) cents; John McCash, removing snow, thirty-eight (38) dollars; Morris P. McCaughlin, removing snow, forty-two (42) dollars; A. McClintock, extra work, Municipal repair shop, twenty-seven (27) dollars; Thomas McDonald, removing snow, twenty-nine (29) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Thomas F. McGrath, removing snow, fourteen (14) dollars; M. & J. B. McHugh, excess work, Shippen Plaza, seventy-two (72) dollars and nine (9) cents; George H. McMahon, removing snow, thirty-seven (37) dollars; Henry C. Merritt, removing snow, ten (10) dollars; Wm. S. Molineaux, removing snow, eight (8) dollars and thirty (30) cents; National Sign Co., license plates, three hundred and five (305) dollars and fifty (50) cents; David M. O'Shea, removing snow, thirty-one (31) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Charles Pfeil, removing snow, fourteen (14) dollars; Philadelphia Electric Co., lighting, Convention Hall and lamps, two hundred and seventy-three (273) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Archibald Phillips, removing snow, thirty-one (31) dollars and sixty (60) cents; George H. Poffenberger, raising flag, Brigade Park, forty (40) dollars; Jacob Reed's Sons, Inc., uniforms, sixty (60) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Est. of Oliver K. Reed, laundry service, five (5) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Remington Typewriter Co., repairing typewriter, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents; Wm. H. Reynolds, removing snow, fourteen (14) dollars and twenty (20) cents; M. J. Rosenfelt, removing snow, six (6) dollars; Max Sauers, removing snow, five (5) dollars; J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., locks, brackets, etc., eleven (11) dollars and five (5)

cents; Shoemaker & Busch, drugs and bandages, nineteen (19) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; The Simkins Co., cards, seventy-four (74) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Josiah H. Steel, removing snow, seven (7) dollars and twenty (20) cents; The Tabulating Machine Co., electrotype composition, seven (7) dollars and twelve (12) cents; A. W. Tappen, Jr., removing snow, thirteen (13) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Evans Taylor, removing snow, forty (40) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Harry W. Truitt, services and removing snow, forty-eight (48) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Turpsene Mfg. Co., turpentine, four (4) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; United Gas Improvement Co., maintenance of lamps, one (1) dollar and thirty-five (35) cents; John W. Walker, removing snow, eleven (11) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Walker & Kepler, desk light, ten (10) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; William M. Wiley, repairing lawn mowers, one hundred and six (106) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; John Williams, removing snow, nineteen (19) dollars and sixty (60) cents; John Winning, removing snow, nineteen (19) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Thaddeus N. Yates & Co., plants, twenty-seven (27) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Texas Co., oil, forty-four (44) dollars; Conan & Mellon, Pleasant Hill Park, ninety (90) dollars. Total, ten thousand one hundred and ninety (10,190) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents.

BUREAU OF SURVEYS.

Item 200. Edward Hutchinson, Jr., for appraisal by the Phila. Real Estate Board tract of land bounded by Green lane, Fifth street and Fisher Park, ninety (90) dollars; to refund to Moran & Edinger amount paid by them for survey of forty-seven lots of ground at Tioga and Chatham streets, which order was countermanded and the work not done, one hundred and sixty (160) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; to pay bill of Fred. Paulson, for sewer in front of Tabernacle Evangelical Lutheran Church, east side of Fifty-ninth street, extending north from Spruce street, ninety-five (95) dollars; to pay bill

of Thomas A. McMahon, for sewer in north side of Chew street and west side of American street, in front of the Olney Baptist Church, seventy-five (75) dollars; to pay bill of E. T. Savidge, for sewers laid in streets bounding First Presbyterian Church, Olney, as follows: South side of Clarkson avenue and east side of Third street, one hundred and thirty (130) dollars; east side of Third street and south side of Clarkson avenue, one hundred and fifty-seven (157) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; east side of Third street and north side of Tabor street, one hundred and five (105) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; total, three hundred and ninety-three (393) dollars and five (5) cents. Total, eight hundred and thirteen (813) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents.

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 200. The Bell Telephone Co., telephone service, twenty-eight (28) dollars; Electro Bleaching Gas Co., express charges, fifty-seven (57) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; James M. Fleming, horseshoeing, twenty (20) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; W. T. Pollard, hauling ashes, sixty-nine (69) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; The Spruce Street Garage, storage auto, sixteen (16) dollars and fifty (50) cents; to refund to Industrial Dyeing and Finishing Works, water rents paid in excess at 3829 Frankford avenue, three hundred and four (304) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; to refund to the Continental Equitable Trust Company money paid to the City to lay water pipe which the company itself subsequently laid, on Ringgold street, from Morris to Tasker streets; and on Fernon and Watkins streets, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth streets, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen (1,918) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; to refund to Hale & Kilburn, owing to reduction in water rent, as follows: On properties 1801 to 1819 Glenwood avenue, five hundred and sixty-eight (568) dollars and fifty (50) cents; and on property 1821 Glenwood avenue, eighty (80) dollars; total, six hundred and forty-eight (648) dollars and fifty (50) cents; to pay to William

Butler Co., claim for damage due to break in City main in front of 223, 225, 227 Arch street, three hundred and twenty-eight (328) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; to pay to Joseph Gordon claim for damages due to break in water main in front of premises 1434 South Lawrence street, twenty-three (23) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; to refund to John Baizley Iron Works water rents paid in error for years 1909 and 1910 on premises 503 to 521 South Water street, four hundred and twenty-four (424) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; to pay claims for damages caused by break in City water main, as follows: Charles L. Thomas, 1209 Marlborough street, fifty-seven (57) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; and George P. Hays, 1207 Marlborough street, eighty-nine (89) dollars and five (5) cents; Jas. E. Tague & Co., millwork, etc. (1912), two hundred and eighty-five (285) dollars and twenty (20) cents. Total, four thousand two hundred and seventy (4,270) dollars and eighty-nine (89) cents.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

Item 200. Penna. State Institution for Feeble-Minded and Epileptic at Spring City, 1914 and 1915, clothing, two hundred and fifty-seven (257) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents; Tabulating Machine Co., rent of tabulating machine, two hundred and thirty-two (232) dollars; Postal Telegraph and Cable Co., messenger service, two (2) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising, fifty (50) dollars and forty (40) cents; Evening Telegraph, advertising, twenty-seven (27) dollars; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, twenty-three (23) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Philadelphia Demokrat, advertising, twenty-six (26) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Bell Telephone Co., telephone service, four (4) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Dr. Joseph A. Shears, expert testimony in Abattoir case, two hundred (200) dollars; George W. Seeds, blue prints, three (3) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Petzelt & Keyser, maintenance, repairs and equipment of autos, one hundred

and nineteen (119) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Auto Top Co., maintenance, repairs and equipment of autos, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Packard Motor Car Co., maintenance, repairs and equipment of autos, thirty-three (33) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Burroughs Adding Machine Co., maintenance, five (5) dollars; Library Bureau, cards, four (4) dollars; Fisk Rubber Co., maintenance, repairs and equipment of autos, twenty-one (21) dollars; Knox Motor Co., maintenance, repairs and equipment of autos, fifty-one (51) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents. Total, one thousand and sixty-four (1,064) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents.

BUREAU OF HEALTH.

Item 200. Fulton, Walker Co., repairs to wagons and ambulance, four hundred and nine (409) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; William Boeckel & Co. (1914), repairs to incubators, twenty (20) dollars; Thomas P. McCullough, abatement of nuisances, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frederick H. Schneider, veterinary services, seventy-four (74) dollars; William J. Elleford, Acting Supervisor, 1914-1915, twenty-three (23) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Samuel B. Mitchell, Acting Supervisor, 1914-1915, twenty-two (22) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Benjamin A. Phifer, Acting Supervisor, 1914-1915, thirteen (13) dollars and thirty (30) cents. Total, five hundred and sixty-five (565) dollars and seventy (70) cents.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

* Item 200. Charles Lentz & Sons, needles, thirty-four (34) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Schuylkill County Almshouse, support, fifty-two (52) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Schuylkill County Almshouse, support, twenty-two (22) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Director of the Poor, Harrisburg, support, thirty-nine (39) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; Dept. of Charities, Pittsburgh, support, forty-eight (48) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Catholic Home, support, thirty-five (35)

dollars and seventy-one (71) cents; St. Vincent's Home, support, four hundred and sixty-three (463) dollars and twelve (12) cents; St. John's Orphan Asylum, support, fifty-two (52) dollars; Frederick W. Ruppenthal, registration, forty-seven (47) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Dr. W. W. Hawke, examinations, sixty-eight (68) dollars; Dr. Alfred J. Ostheimer, examinations, sixty-eight (68) dollars; J. Jacob Shannon & Co., pig lead, thirty-one (31) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; J. Spencer Morrison, oats, bran, etc., fifty-seven (57) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Thomas W. Price Co., paper, eighty-two (82) dollars; Henry F. Michell Co., tulips, twelve (12) dollars; Otis Elevator Co., oak floor, sixty-four (64) dollars; The Edwards China Co., jars, glasses, twelve (12) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., pension cards, twenty-five (25) dollars; John Wanamaker, gowns, etc., eight (8) dollars and ten (10) cents; American Medical Association, advertisement, six (6) dollars; Creamery Package Mfg. Co., overhauling machine, twenty-six (26) dollars; M. E. Ervin, oil, one hundred and fourteen (114) dollars and four (4) cents; Johnson Service Co., valve diaphs., forty-nine (49) dollars and forty-one (41) cents; Phila. Electric Co., light, fifty-six (56) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Assn. Directors of Poor and Charities and Corrections, Pa., dues, fifteen (15) dollars; Dr. E. E. Terry, veterinary services, sixty (60) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Raymond A. Devlin, V. M. D., carfare, five (5) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; E. Stanton Muir, carfare, five (5) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Joseph N. Snellenburg, tennis set, fifteen (15) dollars; Underwood Typewriter Co., repairing, thirty (30) dollars; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., dermatype, three (3) dollars; Albert Anderman, stationery, one hundred and five (105) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Keystone Type Foundry, type, sixty-two (62) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; A. F. Bornot Bros. Co., curtains dyed, thirty-seven (37) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Dept. of Health, New York, treatment, fifty (50) dollars; Snook Roentgen Mfg. Co., plates, two hundred and seven (207) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; D. Appleton & Co., therapeutics, six (6)

dollars; Wilkinson Bros. & Co., tissue toweling, forty-nine (49) dollars and fifty (50) cents; A. R. Elliott Pub. Co., subscription, five (5) dollars; Journal of Nervous and Ment. Dis., subscription, five (5) dollars; Johns Hopkins Press, subscription, five (5) dollars; Alienist and Neurologist, subscription, five (5) dollars; Schiller, Nolan & Co., tubes, ninety (90) dollars; D. W. Seltzer, postage, carfare and incidentals, six hundred and eighteen (618) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Central Poor District of Luzerne Co., 1915, transportation, thirty-two (32) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; William J. Scorr, hauling ashes, ninety-five (95) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Gustav C. F. Helm, Jr., drugs for out-door poor, sixty-four (64) dollars and forty-three (43) cents; Samuel Cantor, medicine, forty-four (44) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Benjamin Roessner, medicine, eighty-eight (88) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; William L. Cedville, medicine, eighteen (18) dollars; Meyer Goldberg, medicine, thirty-seven (37) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; Charles W. Hallowell, medicine, twenty (20) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; P. P. D. Kirlin, medicine, forty-five (45) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; to pay bill of Holmesburg Water Company for water supplied to the Home for the Indigent, Holmesburg, for the year 1914, two hundred and sixteen (216) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; to pay bill of Northern Home for Friendless Children, for support, three hundred and sixty-four (364) dollars; to pay bill of E. Stanton Muir for veterinary services, five (5) dollars and sixty (60) cents; to pay bill of Overseers of the Poor of Kittanning Borough for maintenance of a Philadelphia patient in 1913, forty-two (42) dollars and two (2) cents; to pay bill of J. E. Soule for engrossing dental certificates, thirty-five (35) dollars and eighty (80) cents; to pay bill of Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children at Elwyn, for support of children, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. Total, five thousand four hundred and seventy-two (5,472) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Item 200 (Free Library): Wolf Brothers, for envelopes, twenty-one (21) dollars and fifty (50) cents; G. Winberger & Son, for chairs, thirty-six (36) dollars and seventy (70) cents. (Museums): William Clausen, for cement, seventy-five (75) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, for whitewashing outfit, thirty (30) dollars. (Civil Service): Library Bureau, for index cards, five (5) dollars and thirty (30) cents. (Receiver of Taxes): Sherman Envelope Co., for envelopes, fifteen (15) dollars and three (3) cents; The Biddle Corporation, for printing, nineteen (19) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Albert Anderman, for toilet paper, thirteen (13) dollars; The Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, twenty-one (21) dollars and eighty (80) cents. (Health): Department of Health, City of New York, for antitoxin, thirty-six (36) dollars; Northern Tool Co., for gauge cocks, ten (10) dollars; Samuel D. Lit, for toweling, seventy-two (72) dollars. (Charities): J. E. Soule, for certificates, thirty-five (35) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Osburn Paper Co., for paper, thirty-three (33) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Gimbel Bros., for curtains, three (3) dollars; Geo. Fries' Sons, for bed-pans, six (6) dollars; Defender Photo Supply Co., Inc., for hospital supplies, eighty-nine (89) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Penna. Alcohol and Chemical Co., for alcohol, two hundred and sixty-two (262) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; Aschenbach & Miller, Inc., for drugs, seventy-eight (78) dollars; Clayton French, for drugs, ninety-two (92) dollars; L. D. Caulk Dental Depot, for dental supplies, one hundred and six (106) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Henry F. Michell Co., for poultry meat, fifty-four (54) dollars; Western Electric Co., for wire, twenty-one (21) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; Haskell Electric Lamp Co., for incandescent lamps, twenty (20) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; J. Jacob Shannon & Co., for forks, twenty-one (21) dollars. (Police): Albert Anderman, for stationery, etc., sixty-one (61) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Lamb Brothers, for stationery,

etc., ninety-seven (97) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Cusack Hardware Co., for buckets, ten (10) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; The Bingham Co., for books, etc., twelve (12) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Remington Typewriter Co., Inc., for carbon paper, twenty-four (24) dollars; J. H. Weil & Co., for envelopes, thirty-four (34) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, for brushes, seventeen (17) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; The J. E. Fricke Co., for twine, twelve (12) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; The Texas Co., for gasoline, forty-four (44) dollars; Union Petroleum Co., for headlight oil, five (5) dollars; Atlantic Refining Co., for gasoline, thirty (30) dollars; American Supply Co., printed forms, one hundred and twenty-four (124) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Keim Supply Co., for harness, one (1) dollar and ninety (90) cents; N. Z. Graves Corporation, for paint, four (4) dollars; Grim's Auto Supply Store, for tires, etc., ninety-three (93) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Samuel D. Lit, for furniture, etc., two hundred and six (206) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, for iron beds, etc., one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dollars. (Correction): Robert S. Green, for gas lime, one hundred and twenty-three (123) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents. (Fire): Albert Anderman, for stationery, etc., two hundred and sixty-five (265) dollars and ninety (90) cents; American Ice Co., for ice, twenty-four (24) dollars and forty (40) cents; James Boyd & Bro., Inc., for motorcycle parts, twenty-five (25) dollars and twenty (20) cents; O'Brien & Hoover, for tires, one hundred and sixty (160) dollars; Globe Tire and Rubber Co., Inc., for tires and tubes, one hundred and twelve (112) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Manufacturers' Supply Co., for weed chains, etc., sixty-four (64) dollars. (Electrical): Elliott-Lewis Electrical Co., Inc., for panels, etc., two hundred and three (203) dollars; J. F. Buchanan & Co., for conduit, etc., one hundred and seventy-nine (179) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; Walter T. Bradley, for sand, three (3) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents. (Surveys): New York Blue Print Paper Co., for scales, ten (10) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents;

The John Baizley Iron Works, for boxes and covers, thirty (30) dollars. (City Property): Strawbridge & Clothier, for stand, two (2) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; The Texas Co., for gasoline, forty-four (44) dollars; Rogers-Corr Coal Co., for coal, two hundred and twenty-seven (227) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Standard Supply and Equipment Co., for waste cans, eleven (11) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents. (Water): Susquehanna Coal Co., coal, three thousand two hundred and eighty-six (3,286) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Swayne & Co., for coal, seven hundred and twenty-six (726) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., for coal, nine thousand three hundred and eighteen (9,318) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, two hundred and seven (207) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Emmons Coal Mining Co., for coal, six thousand one hundred and forty-eight (6,148) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; W. H. Bradford & Co., Inc., for coal, seven thousand three hundred and ninety-two (7,392) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents. (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): John Price & Co., for groceries, seventy-one (71) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; National Hotel Supply Co., for meats, fifty-two (52) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; Thomas Bradley, for meats, one hundred and twenty-one (121) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; John Jamison, for butter and eggs, twenty-two (22) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; D. Q. Bowden & Co., for fish, twenty-three (23) dollars and ten (10) cents; The Corby Co., for yeast, eighty-one (81) cents; F. J. Mullin, for vegetables, etc., twenty-one (21) dollars and three (3) cents. Total, thirty thousand nine hundred and eighty (30,980) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents.

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 200 (House of Detention): M. E. Richardson, assistant superintendent, expenses as delegate to National Conference at Baltimore, Md., fifty (50) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; Edward Fay & Son, building partition in complaint room, seventy-five (75) dollars; Thomas W.

Murray, butter and eggs, thirty-nine (39) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; Thomas W. Murray, vegetables, etc., one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; Lit Brothers, household utensils, two hundred and four (204) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; John E. Fitzgerald, fish and oysters, twelve (12) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; The Freihofer Vienna Baking Co., bread, etc., one hundred and six (106) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Bradley Market, meats, one hundred and eighty (180) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; Alfred Lowry & Bro., groceries, one hundred and forty-seven (147) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; Wills-Jones, McEwen Co., milk, one hundred and eighty-three (183) dollars and twenty (20) cents; United Gas Improvement Co., lighting, ten (10) dollars and ten (10) cents; The Philadelphia Electric Co., lamps, fourteen (14) dollars and forty (40) cents; The Bell Telephone Co., of Pa., telephone service, three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Kayser & Allman, painting, paperhanging, etc., eight hundred and fifty-seven (857) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents. (Weights and Measures): The Touraine Co., automobile repairs, seven (7) dollars and forty-three (43) cents; Kopp's Hotel, meals for inspectors, twenty-one (21) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Hotel Adelphi, balance due for meals during the convention of Inspectors of Weights and Measures, twelve (12) dollars and ten (10) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printing, seven hundred and eighteen (718) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; The Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, seven (7) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents. (Municipal Court): Public Ledger, advertising, sixty-six (66) dollars; The Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising for motor bus for Grand Jury, thirty-three (33) dollars; The Philadelphia Record, advertising, fifty-four (54) dollars. (Juvenile Support): Catholic Children's Bureau, twenty thousand and eighty-four (20,084) dollars and twelve (12) cents; House of the Good Shepherd, Thirty-fifth and Fairmount Ave., two hundred and seventeen (217) dollars and four (4) cents; St. Mary Magdalen Di Pazzi's Home, two hundred and

forty-three (243) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; St. John's Orphan Asylum, seven thousand five hundred and fifty-two (7,552) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Catholic Home for Destitute Children, three thousand three hundred and forty-four (3,344) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; St. Vincent's Home, Tacony, one thousand one hundred and sixty-seven (1,167) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; St. Joseph's Protectory, three hundred and sixty-four (364) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; House of the Good Shepherd, Germantown, one hundred and ninety-one (191) dollars and one (1) cent; Archbishop Ryan Memorial Home, sixty-one (61) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Howard Institute, three hundred (300) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; Philadelphia Protectory for Boys, two thousand five hundred and thirty-four (2,534) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; St. Vincent's Home, Twentieth and Race Streets, six thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (6,887) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; Children's Aid Society, ten thousand one hundred and sixty-one (10,161) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; House of the Holy Child, five hundred and fifty-one (551) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; Southern Home for Destitute Children, one hundred and eighty-seven (187) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Juvenile Aid Society, two thousand four hundred and thirty-four (2,434) dollars and fifty (50) cents; House of the Good Shepherd, Rosemont, ten (10) dollars; Young Women's Union, five hundred and forty-eight (548) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Western Home for Poor Children, three hundred and sixty-nine (369) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents; Home Missionary Society, seven hundred and seventy-seven (777) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Hebrew Orphans' Home, one hundred and ninety (190) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; Eastern Pennsylvania State Institution for the Feeble-Minded and Epileptic, two hundred and sixty-seven (267) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, three thousand and sixty-three (3,063) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; House of St. Michael and All Angels, one hundred and fifty-eight

(158) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents; Hebrew Sheltering Home, one thousand three hundred and seventy-five (1,375) dollars and eight (8) cents; Children's Bureau, four hundred and nine (409) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Children's Aid Society, four thousand five hundred and ninety-nine (4,599) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Seybert Institution, two thousand one hundred and fourteen (2,114) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents; Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, thirty-six (36) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents; St. Vincent's Home, Twentieth and Race Streets, sixty (60) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Home for Destitute Colored Children, two hundred and twenty (220) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Juvenile Aid Society, seven thousand four hundred and eighteen (7,418) dollars and forty (40) cents; St. Vincent's Home, Seventieth street and Woodland avenue, six thousand, two hundred and fifteen (6,215) dollars and seven (7) cents; Thomas G. Parris, seven hundred and forty (740) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; Sunshine Home, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; House of the Good Shepherd, Rosemont, twenty (20) dollars. (Miscellaneous): August Roder, jurors' meals, eleven (11) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Soulas' Hotel, jurors' meals, six (6) dollars; Soulas' Cafe and German Restaurant, meals, primary election, eighty-three (83) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Soulas' Cafe and German Restaurant, meals, general election, twenty-eight (28) dollars; Royal Typewriter Co., one typewriter, table and ribbon, eighty-seven (87) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Lit Brothers, knives, forks, spoons, sweaters and slippers for women committed to the House of Correction, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars and two (2) cents; Arch Street Linen Shop, pillow cases and bedding for House of Correction, six hundred and forty-one (641) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; Remington Typewriter Co., machines, one thousand one hundred and seventy-eight (1,178) dollars and ten (10) cents; Penn Electric and Lock Co., repairs and supplies, twenty-nine (29) dollars and ten (10) cents; John Wanamaker, cleaning supplies and merchandise, fifty (50) dollars and

thirty-six (36) cents; Watson Malone & Sons, lumber for fitting up Tower room, sixty-five (65) dollars; Albert Anderman, stationery and printing, five hundred and twenty-four (524) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Jewel & Co., filing-wallets, one hundred and ninety-three (193) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., for desk lights, twenty-eight (28) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Registration and Exchange of Confidential Information (October, November and December, 1915), twenty-seven (27) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; John R. McFetridge & Sons, printing, three hundred and nine (309) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; M. J. Heavey, furnishings, carpet, cabinet-work, etc., five hundred and fifty-eight (558) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; A. Pomerantz & Co., office furnishings, forty-four (44) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Tabulating Machine Co., rent of machine, forty-eight (48) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Western Electric Co., cable type, forty-four (44) dollars; to pay bill of Eastern State Penitentiary for care of prisoners, sixteen thousand six hundred and twenty-five (16,625) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents. Total, one hundred and nine thousand two hundred and thirty-six (109,236) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents.

RECEIVER OF TAXES.

Item 200. Bell Telephone Co., telephone, eighty-one (81) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Record, advertising, twenty (20) dollars; to refund to Children's Hospital of Philadelphia City's portion of twice paid taxes on property at 205 South Twenty-second street, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to refund to Trinity United Evangelical Church, City's portion of overpaid taxes on property at Duval and Boynton streets, twenty-six (26) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents. Total, three hundred and seventy-eight (378) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents.

BOARD OF RECREATION.

Item 200. Philadelphia Electric Co. (lights, 1914), eighty-eight (88) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents;

Philadelphia Electric Co. (lights, 1915), one thousand three hundred and sixty-four (1,364) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., lamps, eight (8) dollars and four (4) cents; Holmesburg and Disston Water Companies, water for Disston Park, one hundred and twenty-six (126) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents; Penna. Coat and Apron Supply Co., laundering towels, one hundred and sixty (160) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; A. MacBride & Co., roofing repairs, playgrounds and bath houses, two hundred and fifty-one (251) dollars; William H. Hoskins, stationery, five (5) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Stokes Bros., carpentry repairs, one hundred and thirty (130) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Andrew F. O'Connell, trees, tree-boxes and planting, sixty-nine (69) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Harry E. Miller, carpentry repairs, six (6) dollars and fifty (50) cents. Total, two thousand two hundred and nine (2,209) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Item 200. The North American, November 16, 1915, fifty (50) dollars and forty (40) cents; Public Ledger, November 18, 1915, fifty-seven (57) dollars; Evening Telegraph, November 16, 1915, thirty-four (34) dollars; Philadelphia Record, November 17, 1915, fifty-four (54) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Evening Bulletin, November 15, 1915, thirty-five (35) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Philadelphia Inquirer, November 16, 1915, twenty-nine (29) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; The Press Company, November 19, 1915, twenty-three (23) dollars; The Evening Star, November 19, 1915, thirty-eight (38) dollars; The Evening Ledger, November 24, 1915, fifty-seven (57) dollars; Public Ledger, March 13, 1913, forty (40) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents. Total, four hundred and nineteen (419) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

CLERKS OF COUNCILS.

Item 200. Inquirer, advertising proposals, seventeen (17) dollars and fifty (50) cents; George G. Melloy, expenses incurred in conducting People's Regatta, July

4, 1915, two thousand (2,000) dollars; M. J. Heavey, decorations, etc., July 4, 1915, four hundred and thirty seven (437) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Chas. T. Groswith, hauling, etc., July 4, 1915, fifty-eight (58) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents. Total, two thousand five hundred and thirteen (2,513) dollars and ten (10) cents.

APPENDIX No. 19.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollars loan, authorized by Ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for the purchase of materials and supplies; for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages; salaries and miscellaneous expenses; the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement and other expenses of City property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions and institutions for the insane, to the Departments of City Commissioners, City Treasurer, City Solicitor, City Controller, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Board of Recreation, Mayor, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Inspectors of the County Prisons, Receiver of Taxes, Recorder of Deeds and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return

the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Crawford, Robert Smith, E. Buchholz, Simon Walter, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John J. McKinley, Jr., John H. Baizley, C. J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, George D'Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, for the purchase of materials and supplies; for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages; salaries and miscellaneous expenses; the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement and other expenses of City property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions and institutions for the insane, to the Departments of City Commissioners, City Treasurer, City Solicitor, City Controller, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Board of Recreation, Mayor, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Inspectors of the County Prisons, Receiver of Taxes, Recorder of Deeds, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and District Attorney, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That out of the four million nine hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and three (4,974,203) dollar loan, authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, the sum of four million six hundred and ninety-seven thousand two hundred and eighty-four (4,697,284) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents

be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase of materials and supplies; for resurfacing and repaving streets; the abatement of nuisances; the repair of bridges; the payment of wages, salaries and miscellaneous expenses, the payment of jurors, expert and witness fees; for expenses incident to elections; for police and fire expenses; for the maintenance, care, equipment, extension, improvement and other expenses of City property, both real and personal; for printing and advertising; for maintenance of parks; for the protection of public health and for expenses of penal, reformatory and charitable institutions for the insane, to the following:

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 1 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

- (c) To pay eight (8) per diem clerks regularly employed, two thousand seven hundred and sixty-four dollars..... \$2,764
 (d) Extra clerk hire, two thousand dollars... 2,000

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

- Postage, printing, advertising and miscellaneous, three hundred dollars..... 300

Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

- (a) Stationery, newspapers, cleaning and toilet, two hundred dollars 200

Item 5 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

- (a) Salaries: Clerk to Board of Jurors, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars per annum, in lieu of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, from January 1; and Court Stenographers, two at two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars each, from July 1, three thousand dollars 3,000
 (c) Jurors' fees, \$2.50 per day per juror, eighty-five thousand dollars \$5,000
 (d) Witness fees at \$1.50 per day per witness, three thousand dollars 3,000

Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Automobile hire for visits of grand jurors to institutions, one hundred dollars.....	100
(d) Expenses of probation (parole) officers of Quarter Sessions Courts; parole officer for male convicts, \$200; parole officer for female convicts, \$100.....	200
(e) Office rent and traveling and other expenses of probation officers and investigators, Juvenile Division, Municipal Court, one thousand dollars	1,000
(f) Traveling and other expenses, officers of Domestic Relations and Criminal Branches, Municipal Court, one thousand dollars....	1,000
(i) Printing and stationery, Municipal Court, three thousand dollars	3,000
(j) Miscellaneous, Municipal Court, one thousand dollars	1,000
(l) To bring back fugitive husbands, five hundred dollars	500
(p) Office equipment and incidental expenses (children's agents), one thousand dollars..	1,000

Item 9 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Telephone, two hundred dollars.....	200
(b) Furnishing light and heat, one hundred dollars	100

Item 10 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Office supplies, two hundred and fifty dollars	250
(c) Cleaning and toilet supplies, laundry supplies, soap and disinfectant, two hundred and fifty dollars	250
(d) Clothing, two hundred and fifty dollars..	250
(j) Household and engine room supplies, two hundred dollars	200

(k) Repairs, painting and replacements, five hundred dollars	500
Item 12 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(c) Automobile hire, six hundred dollars....	600
Item 11 (b). (200 loan). To pay bill of Guilbert & Lewis for stenographic services, Board of Viewers, two hundred and thirty-two (232) dollars	232
Item 14 (200 loan). Pay of assessors (32 new divisions), two thousand six hundred and forty dollars	2,640
Item 15 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
Printing assessors' lists, nine thousand five hundred dollars	9,500
Item 16 (b). Pay of registrars, three thousand eight hundred and forty dollars.....	3,840
Item 17 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Automobile hire, meals, postage, advertising, furnishings and miscellaneous, five hundred dollars	500
(b) Printing street lists, thirty-two thousand eight hundred dollars	32,800
(c) General printing, one thousand dollars..	1,000
Item 19 (200 loan). Rent of rooms in which registrations are held, 1,300 divisions for 3 days at \$5 per day, twenty thousand four hundred and eighty dollars	20,480
Item 21 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Printing of official ballots, sample ballots, tally sheets, return sheet, statements, etc., for 1,300 divisions, thirty-six thousand three hundred dollars	36,300
Item 24a (200 loan). To pay judges, in-	

spectors and clerks (32 new divisions), one thousand one hundred and thirty dollars...	1,130
Item 25 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Printing books and blank cards for election officers, sample tickets for voters, assessors' books, printing and binding election tickets for each division, to be used for voting, twenty thousand dollars	20,000
Item 27 (200 loan). Rent of rooms, eight hundred and ten dollars	810
Item 31 (200 loan). <i>Supplies.</i>	
Equipment, furnishings, etc. (Weights and measures), fourteen thousand dollars...	14,000
Item 32 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Keep of prisoners of Philadelphia County in Eastern Penitentiary, nine thousand dollars	9,000
(e) Support of children committed by the Juvenile Court as charges upon the county, two hundred and ninety thousand dollars..	290,000
Item 33 (200 loan)	
(g) Philadelphia County Fair Association, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 34 (200 loan). To pay bills of Dunlap Printing Co., printing loan ballots, \$4,630.74, and of Chas. T. Groswith, hauling, \$16. Total, four thousand six hundred and forty-six dollars and seventy-four cents.	\$4,646 74
Item 36 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings, rebinding, stationery and supplies, Rooms 252, 254, 258, 259, 260, and 261, one thousand dollars	1,000
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Total, five hundred and fifty-five thousand two hundred and ninety-two dollars and seventy-four cents	\$555,292 74

CITY TREASURER

Item 1 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Salaries and wages for extra help, one thousand one hundred dollars	\$1,100
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Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(c) Communication service, four hundred dollars	400
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(d) Printing, engraving and binding, two hundred dollars	200
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(f) Special and miscellaneous services, one hundred dollars	100
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Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Stationery, two hundred dollars.....	200
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(b) Cleaning and toilet, fifty dollars.....	50
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(c) Special and miscellaneous, seven hundred dollars	700
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Item 4 (h) (200 loan). Firemen's Pension Fund, five thousand two hundred and twenty-four dollars and thirty-seven cents..

5,224 37

Total, seven thousand nine hundred
and seventy-four dollars and
thirty-seven cents

\$7,974 37

LAW DEPARTMENT

Item 1. (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Witness fees, two thousand dollars....	\$2,000
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(d) Expert services, five thousand dollars..	5,000
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Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Advertising, affidavits, postage, serving notices, and blue prints, three thousand dollars	3,000
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Total, ten thousand dollars \$10,000

CITY CONTROLLER

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

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| (a) Meals for overtime work, five hundred dollars | \$500 |
| (b) Special and miscellaneous and communication service, five hundred dollars..... | 500 |

Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

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| (a) Stationery, printing, binding, office supplies, equipment and incidental expenses, three thousand dollars | 3,000 |
| (b) Printing and binding City warrants for the several departments, six hundred dollars | 600 |

Item 5 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

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| Printing the annual report of the City Controller and preparing the annual statement for the Finance Committee, eight hundred dollars | 800 |
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Item 7 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

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| (a) Binding records, three hundred dollars.. | 300 |
| (b) Pension fund expenses, two thousand dollars | 2,000 |

Total, seven thousand seven hundred dollars	\$7,700
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

Item 4 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

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| Maintenance and equipment of automobiles, one thousand dollars | \$1,000 |
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BUREAU OF FIRE

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(c) Miscellaneous, two hundred and seventy dollars \$270

Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(b) Gas for fuel at headquarters, two hundred dollars 200

Item 5 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

Salaries, three hundred and fifty-one thousand three hundred and eighty eight dollars 351.388

Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Removal of ashes, three hundred dollars... 300

Item 9 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Shoeing and pasturing animals, twelve thousand dollars 12,000

Item 11 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Repairs to and maintenance of automobiles, two thousand dollars 2,000

(b) Repairs to apparatus, etc., four thousand dollars 4,000

(c) Repairs to harness, fifty dollars..... 50

(d) Repairs to fire houses, two thousand five hundred dollars 2,500

Item 22 (b) (200 loan). Purchase of an automobile for assistant marshal in district north of Susquehanna avenue, between the rivers, five hundred dollars 500

Total, three hundred and seventy-three thousand two hundred and eight dollars\$373,208

BUREAU OF POLICE

Item 3 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

Salaries, one million two hundred and ninetv-one thousand six hundred and ninety dollars	1,291,690
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Item 4 (200 loan). *Services other than
personal:*

(a) Removal of ashes, etc., five hundred dol- lars	500
(b) Horseshoeing, ten thousand dollars.....	10,000
(c) Keep and pasturing horses, two thousand dollars	2,000
(d) Postage and advertising, eight hundred dollars	800

Item 5 (200 loan). Uniforms, seventy-five dollars	75
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Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than
personal:*

(a) Maintenance and repairs to auto patrol, etc., five thousand dollars	5,000
(b) Repairs to badges, batons, etc., two hun- dred dollars	200
(i) New auto patrols, eight thousand dollars.	8,000

Item 7 (200 loan).

(b) Rent, Eleventh and Cambria streets, nine hundred dollars	900
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Item 9 (200 loan). *Services other than
personal:*

(a) Transportation, ten thousand dollars.....	10,000
(b) Communication service, two thousand dollars	2,000

Item 10 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Photographic materials, five hundred dol- lars	500
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Item 12 (200 loan). Ambulance service,

Jefferson Hospital, three hundred and seventy-five dollars	375
Item 14 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Meals to prisoners, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 18 (200 loan). Uniforms, forty dollars	40
Item 19 (200 loan). Repairs to boats, one thousand five hundred dollars.....	1,500
Item 21 (200 loan). Transportation and keep of horses, etc., one thousand eight hundred dollars	1,800
Item 23 (200 loan).	
(a) Repairs and maintenance of automobile, five hundred dollars	500
Item 24 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Medical attendance, nine thousand dollars	9,000
Item 26 (200 loan). Purchase of new motorcycles, traffic guides, zone signs, danger signs, and repairs and maintenance of same, ten thousand dollars	10,000
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Total, one million three hundred and fifty-six thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars	\$1,356,880

ELECTRICAL BUREAU

Item 1 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, two hundred and fifty dollars...	\$250
Item 2 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Transportation, one thousand dollars...	1,000
(c) Printing, five hundred dollars	500
Item 3. (200 loan). <i>Supplies:</i>	
(a) Incidentals and supplies, one thousand dollars	1,000

Item 4 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, nine hundred and thirty-nine dollars	939
Item 5 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(c) Incandescent current, three hundred dollars	300
Item 6 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, eleven thousand seven hundred and twenty-six dollars	11,726
Item 8 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, eleven thousand dollars	11,000
Item 13 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, eight hundred and thirty-six dollars	836
Item 16 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
(b) Wages, five thousand dollars	5,000
Item 17 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Special and miscellaneous, four hundred dollars	400
Item 18 (200 loan). <i>Supplies:</i>	
(c) Maintenance of automobiles, three hundred dollars	300
Item 20 (200 loan). Improvements in lighting court rooms and offices of Courts Nos. 1 and 2, two thousand dollars each	4,000
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Total, thirty-seven thousand two hundred and fifty-one dollars..	\$37,251

BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION

Item 2 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Postage, printing, etc., five hundred and fifty dollars	\$550

Item 4 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Transportation, horse keep and automobile maintenance, four thousand four hundred dollars	4,400
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Item 5 (200 loan). *Equipment:*

Twenty-five dollars	25
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Total, four thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars	\$4,975
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BUREAU OF CORRECTION

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Advertising, carfare, etc., one hundred and twenty-five dollars	\$125
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Item 4 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation of prisoners, etc., two hundred dollars	200
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Item 5 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Uniforms, forty dollars	40
(b) Water rent, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500

Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Resetting retorts, etc., two hundred dollars	200
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(f) Maintenance of gas lamps, two hundred and fifty dollars	250
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Total, three thousand three hundred and fifteen dollars	\$3,315
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BUREAU OF ELEVATOR INSPECTION

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Transportation and postage, three hundred and seventy-five dollars	\$375
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Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

Stationery, seventy-five dollars	75
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Total, four hundred and fifty dollars	\$450
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Total for Department, one million seven hundred and seventy-seven thousand and seventy-nine dollars	\$1,777,079
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Storage and care of two automobiles, one hundred dollars	\$100
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(d) Miscellaneous, Printing and binding, special and miscellaneous supplies, five hundred dollars	500
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Item 3 (200 loan). Repairs to two automobiles, five hundred dollars	500
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Item 4 (200 loan).

(a) Licenses for two automobiles, forty-five dollars	45
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Total, one thousand one hundred and forty-five dollars	\$1,145
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BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, meals, communication service and advertising, one hundred dollars..	100
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(c) Miscellaneous, one hundred dollars.....	100
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Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

Books, pamphlets, magazines, newspapers and miscellaneous, one hundred dollars.	100
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Item 4 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
Repairs to automobiles, six hundred dollars	600
Item 5 (200 loan). Fees for licenses, three automobiles, three dollars	
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Item 9 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Transportation and miscellaneous, one hundred dollars	100
Item 11 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(d) For sprinkling macadam and dirt roads, ten thousand dollars	10,000
Item 13 (200 loan). Grading, curbing and paving in front of City and non-assessable properties, five thousand dollars	
	5,000
Item 14 (200 loan).	
(b) Fees for licenses, six automobiles and eleven motorcycles, six dollars	6
Item 16 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Transportation and meals, six hundred dollars	600
Item 17 (200 loan). Repairs to motorcycles and bicycles, two hundred dollars...	
	200
Item 19 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
Wages: For repairing, resurfacing and all kinds of maintenance work on all classes of streets and roads, sixty-eight thousand one hundred and ninety-one dollars and seventy-four cents.....	68,191 74
Item 20 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Hire of teams, fourteen thousand dollars.	14,000
(b) Hire of equipment, with or without operatives, twenty thousand dollars	20,000

(e) For repairing, repaving, surfacing, resurfacing and all kinds of maintenance work on all classes of streets and roads by contract, eighty-five thousand dollars.....	85,000
(e) Repairing breaks made in footways for municipal purposes and around fire plugs, and repaving footways and resetting curb in front of City and non-assessable properties, three thousand dollars	3,000
Item 21 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
Wages: For repairing sewers and inlets, (when employed), eighteen thousand five hundred dollars	18,500
Item 22 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(a) Hire of teams, six thousand five hundred dollars	6,500
Item 23 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
Transportation, fifty dollars.....	50
Item 24 (200 loan). <i>Personal services:</i>	
Wages: For repairs to meadow banks and water courses (when employed), foremen, at four (4) dollars per day each; carpenters, at three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents per day each; assistant foremen, at three (3) dollars per day each; laborers, at two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents and two (2) dollars per day each, fifteen thousand dollars	15,000
Item 25 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Repairs to meadow-banks and water-courses by contract or open market order, eighteen thousand dollars	18,000
(c) Hire of teams, one hundred and fifty dollars	150

Item 30 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

Wages: For repairs to bridges (when employed), forty-five thousand dollars.... 45,000

Item 31 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Hire of teams, two hundred dollars.... 2,000

(b) Hire of equipment, five hundred dollars 500

(d) Repairs to and painting bridges by contract or open market order, ninety-two thousand dollars 92,000

Item 32 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, ten thousand dollars..... 10,000

Services other than personal:

Item 33 (200 loan). Hire of teams, four thousand five hundred dollars..... 4,500

Item 34 (200 loan). For grading, draining, oiling, etc., twelve thousand five hundred dollars 12,500

Item 47 (200 loan). Replacing present and purchasing new automobiles, five thousand dollars 5,000

Item 48 (200 loan). Miscellaneous expenses, special street cleaning campaign, three thousand dollars 3,000

Item 49 (200 loan). To pay bill of Edwin H. Vare for emergency filling of a mosquito-breeding pool east of Broad street, north of Government avenue, and south and west of the Pennsylvania Railroad's right-of-way, on property belonging to the City, six thousand seven hundred and seventy-two dollars and seventy-seven cents 6,772.77

Item 50 (200 loan). To pay bills for clean-up week, as follows: James A. Mullen, District, 1-A, seven hundred and ninety (790)

dollars and fifty (50) cents; James Irvin, District 1-B, eight hundred and forty-three (843) dollars; Edwin H. Vare, District 2, three thousand and fifty-seven (3,057) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Edwin H. Vare, District 3, four thousand three hundred and thirty-five (4,335) dollars; Frank Curran, District 4-A, two thousand eight hundred and eight (2,808) dollars; Thomas L. Flanagan, District 4-B, one thousand four hundred and twenty-three (1,423) dollars; Frank Curran, District 5, two thousand two hundred and sixteen (2,216) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Est. David McMahon, District 6, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1,876) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; D. C. Humphrys Co., transparencies, one hundred and three (103) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Gragor-Connery Co., cards, nine hundred and twenty (920) dollars; E. A. Wright Bank Note Co., invitations, forty (40) dollars and fifty (50) cents; W. N. Clement, drawings of posters, thirty-seven (37) dollars and fifty (50) cents; and to pay bills for clean street campaign, as follows: Dunlap Printing Co., large and small placards, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; Dunlap Printing Co., poster stamps, sixty-five (65) dollars; W. N. Clement, drawings of posters, twenty-five (25) dollars. Total, nineteen thousand nine hundred and forty-two dollars and thirteen cents 19,942 13

Item 51 (200 loan). Purchase and repair of street rubbish receptacles, seven thousand five hundred dollars 7,500

Item 52 (200 loan). To pay bill of Cunningham Garage, hire of automobiles May 29 to

June 30, 1916, four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents	487 50
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Total, four hundred and seventy-four thousand four hundred and three dollars and fourteen cents.	\$474,403 14
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BUREAU OF SURVEYS

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, expressage, communication service and advertising, two hundred dollars	\$200
(b) Storage and care of automobiles, one hundred dollars	100

Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(b) Purchase and maintenance of four automobiles, two thousand nine hundred dollars	2,900
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Item 4 (200 loan). Repairs and license for automobile, six hundred dollars.....	600
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Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Recording deeds and dedication of streets, one hundred dollars	100
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Item 7 (200 loan). To provide for one District Surveyor from July 1, at the rate of four thousand (4,000) dollars per annum, two thousand dollars	2,000
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Item 8. (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, five hundred dollars....	500
(b) Hire and care of horses, vehicles and automobiles, three thousand dollars.....	3,000
(c) Cleaning offices, five hundred dollars....	500
(d) Postage, one hundred dollars	100
(f) Repairs to tools and instruments and miscellaneous, four hundred dollars	400

Item 15 (200 loan).

(b) *Services other than personal:*

Transportation and miscellaneous (examination of bridges), two hundred dollars..	200
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Item 16 (200 loan).

(b) *Services other than personal:*

Transportation and miscellaneous, two hundred dollars	200
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Item 18 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Transportation and miscellaneous, five hundred dollars	500
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Item 19 (200 loan). Repairs to plant and equipment (Pennypack), five hundred dollars	500
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Total, eleven thousand eight hundred dollars	\$11,800
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BUREAU OF WATER

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, communication service, advertising and miscellaneous, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500
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Item 3 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

Pamphlets, magazines and newspaper clippings, twenty-five dollars	25
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Item 4 (200 loan).

(b) Fees for automobile licenses, one hundred dollars	100
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Item 8 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, forty thousand dollars	40,000
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Item 9 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Repairs and replacements, five thousand dollars	5,000
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Item 11 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Hauling ashes, five hundred dollars.	500
(c) Rent of disinfectors and fire extinguishers, one hundred dollars	100

Item 14 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, forty thousand dollars	40,000
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Item 15 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, five hundred dollars.	500
(b) Hauling water pipe, two thousand dollars	2,000
(c) Hotel expenses of inspectors, one thousand dollars	1,000
(d) Care of animals, clipping, cleaning, shoeing and veterinary services, one thousand dollars	1,000
(e) Repairs to wagons, carts and harness, one thousand dollars	1,000

Item 16 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, four thousand dollars.	4,000
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Item 18 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Expense of making water-rent duplicates, one thousand dollars.	1,000
(b) Carfare for inspectors, seven hundred dollars	700

Total, ninety-eight thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars. \$98,425

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY

Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Transportation, storage and care of vehicles, communication service, printing, engraving, etc, three hundred dollars.	\$300
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Item 10 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

Salaries (City Hall), twenty-one thousand dollars	21,000
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Item 11 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Repairs and maintenance, City Hall, five thousand dollars	5,000
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(b) Repairs and maintenance, Independence Hall, six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars	6,250
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(d) Repairs and other expenses to Town Hall, Germantown, five thousand dollars	5,000
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(f) Cleaning and repairs of public clocks, two hundred dollars	200
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(l) Alterations, repairs and improvements to South Second Street Market, ten thousand dollars	10,000
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Item 12 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(a) Salaries, laborers in squares, etc., five thousand dollars	5,000
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Item 15 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Repairs to flags, flag poles, window shades and awnings, two hundred dollars	200
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(b) Care of Philadelphia Brigade Park on Antietam Battlefield, one hundred dollars..	100
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(e) Manuring and sodding in squares and repairs, three thousand dollars	3,000
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(f) Water rent, Tacony Park and Disston Park, fifty dollars	50
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(h) Patent pavements and repairs, two thousand dollars	2,000
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Total, fifty-eight thousand one hundred dollars	\$58,100
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Total for Department, six hundred and forty-three thousand eight hundred and seventy-three dollars and fourteen cents	\$643,873 14
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Transportation, etc., one thousand three hundred dollars	\$1,300
(b) Maintenance of automobile, etc., six hundred dollars	600
(c) Expenses of the Pneumonia Commission, five thousand dollars	5,000

Total, six thousand nine hundred dollars	\$6,900
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BUREAU OF HEALTH

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Postage, one thousand dollars.....	\$1,000
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Item 9½ (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Repairs to apparatus, etc., two hundred dollars	200
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Item 12 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Abatement of nuisances, etc., twenty thousand dollars	20,000
(b) Transportation and carfare for inspectors, five hundred dollars	500
(d) Postage, one thousand seven hundred dollars	1,700

Item 14½ (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Transportation and carfare for inspectors, five hundred dollars	500
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Item 15 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Salaries and wages: (Hospital for Contagious Diseases), twenty thousand dollars. 20,000

Item 16 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Care of animals, etc., three hundred dollars 300

Item 17 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(b) Purchase of automobile, ambulances and equipment, five thousand dollars..... 5,000

Item 18 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Maintenance and repairs to ambulances, etc., five hundred dollars 500

(b) Repairs and improvements, etc., five thousand dollars 5,000

(c) Gardening, etc., one thousand dollars... 1,000

Total, fifty-five thousand seven hundred dollars \$55,700

BUREAU OF CHARITIES

Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Travelling expenses of House Agent, two hundred dollars \$200

(b) Special and miscellaneous, two thousand five hundred dollars 2,500

Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

Special and miscellaneous, repairs and alterations to laundry, five hundred dollars.. 500

Item 8 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(c) Maintenance and repairs of Superintendent's automobile, three hundred dollars.. 300

Item 10 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, fifteen thousand dollars 15,000

Item 11 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Removal of ashes, one thousand dollars. 1,000

(b) Repairing shoes, five hundred dollars... 500

Item 15 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

Water supply, one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars 1,850

Item 19 (200 loan). *Equipment:*

(a) Purchasing and binding books, six hundred dollars 600

Item 21 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Attendants' payroll, thirty-eight thousand dollars 38,000

Item 30 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(h) For the care and maintenance of the insane, etc., one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars 125,000

Total, one hundred eighty-five thousand four hundred and fifty dollars\$185,450

Total for Department, two hundred and forty-eight thousand and fifty dollars\$248,050

BOARD OF RECREATION

Item 1 (200 loan). *Personal Services:*

(a) Salaries, principal, 1 at \$1,200 per annum; assistant principal, 1 at \$1,000 per annum; teachers, 4 at \$960 per annum; assistant teachers, 6 at \$780 each per annum; janitor, 1 at \$720 per annum; as-

sistant janitor, 1 at \$600 per annum, and caretakers, 2 at \$720 each per annum, all to date from July 1, six thousand seven hun- dred and forty dollars	\$6,740
Item 2 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(d) Electric light for playgrounds, one thou- sand dollars	1,000
Item 3 (200 loan). <i>Supplies:</i>	
(a) Water for Disston playground, one hun- dred and fifty dollars	150
Item 5 (200 loan). <i>Equipment:</i>	
(a) Play material, apparatus, appliances and appurtenances, one thousand three hundred dollars	1,300
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Total, nine thousand one hundred and ninety dollars	\$9,190

MAYOR

Item 2 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(b) Advertising ordinances, fifteen thousand dollars	\$15,000
(c) Miscellaneous advertising, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500
Item 10 (200 loan). (Free Library):	
(f) General expense, one thousand dollars ..	1,000
(g) Alterations and repairs, five hundred dol- lars	500
(j) Repairs to Carnegie branches, five hun- dred dollars	500
(k) Books for Carnegie branches, five thou- sand dollars	5,000

Item 11 (200 loan). (Philadelphia Museums):

(a) Maintenance and repairs, four thousand dollars	4,000
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Total, twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars	\$27,500

WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES

Item 1 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Fees of auctioneers, for selling wharf leases, two hundred and fifty dollars.....	\$250
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Item 2 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Carfare, transportation, freight, expressage, drayage, postage, communication, advertising, printing, stationery, special and miscellaneous supplies, one thousand dollars	1,000
(c) Purchase, maintenance and equipment of automobiles, three thousand five hundred dollars	3,500

Item 4 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Wages, repairs, extensions and alterations to City wharves, bulkheads, landings and recreation piers for men when employed, six thousand dollars	6,000
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Item 7 (200 loan). *Materials and Supplies:*

Repairs and alterations to City wharves, bulkheads, landings and recreation piers, fifteen thousand dollars	15,000
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Item 10 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Temporary employees to operate City ice boats, three thousand dollars	3,000
(c) Temporary employees, City dredging plant, twelve thousand dollars	12,000

Item 12 (200 loan). *Materials for repairs:*

Labor and materials for repairs to City ice boats and City dredging plant, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500
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Total, forty-three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars	\$43,250
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES

MAYOR.

Item 1 (200 loan). Paper, printing, binding, including Mayor's annual message, etc., five thousand dollars	\$5,000
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FREE LIBRARY

Item 6 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, ice, wearing apparel, cleaning, toilet, office and garden supplies, eight hundred dollars....	\$800
Item 7 (200 loan). Fuel, including lighting and burning oils, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500
Item 8 (200 loan). Furniture and furnishings, heat, light, electrical and office equipment, one thousand dollars	1,000

PHILADELPHIA MUSEUMS

Item 11 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 13 (200 loan). Lumber, paints, varnishes, roofing and building materials, implements and materials used in care of grounds, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 14 (200 loan). Furniture and furnishings, heat, light, power, electrical, scientific, recreational, office and special equipment, one thousand dollars	1,000

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Item 1 (200 loan). Ice and towel service, two hundred and fifty dollars	\$250
Item 2 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, binding, cleaning and office supplies, seven thousand dollars	7,000
Item 3 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings and equipment, seven hundred and fifty dol- lars	750

HEALTH

Item 14½ (200 loan). Gardening and farm supplies, including trees, evergreens, shrubs, plants, fertilizer, etc., one thousand dollars	1,000
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CHARITIES

Item 15 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, paper, printing materials, office equipment and supplies, five hundred dollars.....	500
Item 16 (200 loan). Fuel, including illu- minating and burning oils and gases, twenty thousand dollars	20,000
Item 17 (200 loan). Fuel, Home for In- digent, Holmesburg, ten thousand dollars..	10,000
Item 18 (200 loan). Milk and cream, twenty thousand dollars	20,000
Item 19 (200 loan). Meats and fish, eighty thousand dollars	80,000
Item 20 (200 loan). Cereals, twenty-five thousand dollars	25,000
Item 21 (200 loan). Groceries, vegetables, ice and tobacco, eighty-five thousand dol- lars	85,000
Item 22 (200 loan). Marketing, seven thou- sand dollars	7,000
Item 23 (200 loan). Dry goods, notions, wearing apparel, ninety thousand dollars..	90,000

Item 24 (200 loan). Furniture, crockery and house furnishing goods, twelve thousand dollars	12,000
Item 25 (200 loan). Vaccine virus, drugs, liquors, laboratory, surgical, eye and dental supplies, disinfectants, soaps, hospital and other supplies and equipment incident thereto, thirty-five thousand dollars	35,000
Item 26 (200 loan). Feed and bedding for horses and other live stock, five thousand dollars	5,000
Item 27 (200 loan). Hardware, tools and materials used in repairs of buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, gas and steam fitting, farming implements and materials, laundry supply and equipment, ten thousand dollars	10,000
Item 29 (200 loan). Miscellaneous, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500

POLICE

Item 6 (200 loan). Towel service, one hundred dollars	100
Item 7 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, paper, ice, household and cleaning supplies and office supplies and equipment, three thousand dollars	3,000
Item 8 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, twenty thousand dollars	20,000
Item 9 (200 loan). Feed and bedding for horses, twenty-five thousand dollars.....	25,000
Item 10 (200 loan). Harness, stable and veterinary supplies, drugs, medical and surgical appliances, packing, waste and lubricating oils and greases, three thousand dollars	3,000

Item 11 (200 loan). Hardware, lumber, paints and painters' materials, tools, leather and findings, oakum, jute, pipe and fittings, materials for repairs to buildings and parts, accessories and equipment for motor vehicles, boats, etc., and other materials, three thousand five hundred dollars.....	3,500
Item 12 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings, bedding, batons, badges and equipment, one thousand five hundred dollars...	1,500

CORRECTION

Item 15 (200 loan). Stationery, printing and office supplies, one hundred dollars	100
Item 16 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, twenty-seven thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars	27,525
Item 17 (200 loan). Flour, groceries, meats, provisions, tobacco and other edibles, forty-five thousand dollars	45,000
Item 18 (200 loan). Dry goods, notions and wearing apparel, five thousand dollars ...	5,000
Item 19 (200 loan). Drugs, medicines, hospital, surgical, toilet and cleaning supplies, two thousand six hundred dollars	2,600
Item 20 (200 loan). Forage, harness and stable supplies, mechanics', engineers', quarry and farm supplies, lubricating oils and gases, and gas lime, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500
Item 21 (200 loan). Hardware, tools, iron and steel, lumber, paints, glass, cement, sand, bricks, lime, leather and shoe findings, pipe and fittings and roofing materials, six thousand dollars	6,000
Item 22 (200 loan). Furniture, house furnishings, machinery, hose and couplings,	

horses and other live stock, farming implements and parts, stoves, steam boilers, gas meters, harness and other equipment, six thousand five hundred dollars	6,500
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FIRE

Item 24 (200 loan). Stationery, printing and office supplies and equipment, five hundred dollars	500
Item 25 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, fifteen thousand dollars	15,000
Item 26 (200 loan). Feed and bedding for horses, fourteen thousand dollars	14,000
Item 27 (200 loan). Ice, drugs, veterinary supplies, two hundred dollars	200
Item 28 (200 loan). Packing, waste, lubricating oil and cleaning supplies, eight hundred dollars	800
Item 29 (200 loan). Hardware, tools, lumber, paints, materials incident to repairs of apparatus, parts, accessories and equipment for maintenance of motor service and other materials, ten thousand dollars	10,000
Item 30 (200 loan). Furniture, house furnishings and bedding and equipment, six thousand dollars	6,000
Item 31 (200 loan). Harness and stable equipment, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 32 (200 loan). Hose and couplings, fifteen thousand dollars	15,000
Item 33 (200 loan). Horses, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars	17,500

ELECTRICAL BUREAU

Item 36 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, ice, cleaning and office supplies, five hundred dollars	500
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Item 37 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, twenty-five thousand dollars	25,000
Item 39 (200 loan). Lumber, telegraph poles, paints and painters' materials, wires, conduits, boxes, conductors, materials for the maintenance of lighting and power plant, elevators, overhead and underground lines, telegraphic and telephonic instruments and materials, thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars	37,500
Item 40 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings, transporting, conveying, telegraphic and telephonic equipment, including overhead lines, cable for underground, mast arms, fire and police signal instruments and equipment, heat, light, power, ventilation, refrigeration and electrical equipment (including lighting of City Hall corridors and offices, extension of emergency service, dynamo room, educational, scientific, recreational equipment, recording ammeters, voltmeters, and other special and miscellaneous equipment, including manhole covers and frames, conduit and fitting, etc.), ten thousand dollars	10,000

BUILDING INSPECTION

Item 44 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings and equipment, two hundred dollars	200
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ELEVATOR INSPECTION

Item 45 (200 loan). Transportation, printing, and towel service, one hundred dollars	100
Item 46 (200 loan). Stationery, books, ice, toilet, cleaning, mechanics', electrical and other supplies, nine hundred dollars	900
Item 47 (200 loan). Furniture, furnishings and office, telephonic and other equipment, three hundred dollars	300

PUBLIC WORKS

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

Item 3 (200 loan). Furniture and furnishings, accessories and parts incident to the maintenance of automobiles, one thousand dollars	\$1,000
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HIGHWAYS

Item 5 (200 loan). Paper, printing, engraving, lithographing, binding and towel service, two hundred dollars	200
Item 6 (200 loan). Stationery, drafting, scientific and educational supplies, maps, atlases and office supplies, six hundred dollars	600
Item 7 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500
Item 10 (200 loan).	
(a) Miscellaneous, two thousand dollars ...	2,000
(b) Materials, tools, etc., (repairs to streets and roads), sixty-six thousand dollars ...	66,000
(c) Materials, tools, etc. (meadow banks and water courses), one thousand dollars	1,000
(d) Materials, tools, etc. (repairs to bridges), ten thousand dollars	10,000
(e) Materials, tools, etc. (repairs to sewers and inlets), eleven thousand dollars	11,000

SURVEYS

Item 13 (200 loan). Printing, engraving, lithographing, binding, and towel service, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 14 (200 loan). Stationery, photographic, drafting, scientific, educational, mechanical, engineers' and electricians' sup-	

plies, ice, wearing apparel, cleaning and toilet supplies and lubricants, three thousand eight hundred dollars	3,800
Item 18 (200 loan).	
(b)) Rubber goods and packing, five hundred dollars	500
(c) Corner stones and covers, one thousand dollars	1,000

WATER

Item 20 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, ice, drafting and engineering and office supplies, three thousand dollars	3,000
Item 21 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.....	250,000
Item 22 (200 loan). Rubber goods, packing and lubricants, twenty thousand dollars..	20,000
Item 23 (200 loan). Electrical, laboratory and cleaning supplies, feed and bedding for horses, powder, fuse, hypochlorite of lime, alum and other special articles, thirty thousand dollars	30,000
Item 24 (200 loan). Hardware, tools, lumber, cement, brick, sand, pipe, fittings, iron and steel, brass fittings, block tin, lead, castings and building and special materials, twenty-five thousand dollars	25,000
Item 27 (200 loan). Miscellaneous, five thousand dollars	5,000

CITY PROPERTY

Item 28 (200 loan). Stationery, printing (including programmes for Philadelphia Band Concerts), drafting, scientific, educational and office supplies, nine hundred dollars	900
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Item 29 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars..	1,850
Item 31 (200 loan). Metals and metal products, non-metallic mineral products, lumber and wood products, paints and painters' materials, mechanics', electricians' and engineers' supplies, ice, cleaning and toilet supplies, wearing apparel and sewing supplies, woven fabrics and fibre products, four thousand seven hundred dollars	4,700
Item 32 (200 loan). Hardware, lumber, sand, cement, stone, tools, trees, evergreens, shrubs, seeds, flowers, plants, fertilizers, soil, tree guards, benches and fencing and other material for parks and squares, five thousand dollars	5,000
Item 33 (200 loan). Furniture and furnishings, production and construction and conveying equipment, telephonic and telegraphic equipment, property and caretaking equipment and scientific and other equipment, three thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars	3,850
Item 34 (200 loan). Miscellaneous, one thousand dollars	1,000

WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES

Item 3 (200 loan). Furniture, office furnishings, drafting, engineering equipment, five hundred dollars	500
Item 4 (200 loan). Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500
Item 5 (200 loan). Dry stores, groceries, provisions, meats, marketing and other edibles, three thousand dollars	3,000

Item 6 (200 loan). Mechanics', engineers', electricians' supplies, ice, cleaning and toilet supplies, five hundred dollars	500
Item 8 (200 loan). Furniture and furnishings, cooking utensils, fifty dollars.....	50

BOARD OF RECREATION

Item 2 (200 loan). Stationery, printing, drawing materials, office furnishings, fixtures and supplies, three hundred dollars.	300
Item 3 (200 loan). For fuel, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500

Total, one million one hundred and eighty-six thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars.....\$1,186,375

INSPECTOR OF COUNTY PRISONS

REED STREET PRISON

Item 2 (200 loan). <i>Services other than personal:</i>	
(d) Hauling ashes, one hundred dollars....	100
(e) Communication service and incidentals, two hundred dollars	200
(f) Advertising and publishing of notices...	
(h) Transportation of prisoners to Western Penitentiary, one hundred dollars.....	100
Item 3 (200 loan). <i>Materials:</i>	
Leather and shoe findings, four hundred dollars	400
Item 4 (200 loan). <i>Supplies:</i>	
(a) Stationery, two hundred dollars	200
(b) Drugs and hospital supplies, two hundred dollars	200
(g) Disinfectants, one hundred dollars	100
(h) Clothing, bedding, dry goods, notions, yarn, etc., one thousand dollars	1,000

(k) Beef, mutton and pork, one thousand dollars	1,000
(n) Milk, three hundred dollars	300
(q) Newspapers, tobacco, toilet paper and miscellaneous supplies, one hundred and fifty dollars	150
(r) Gas, two hundred and fifty dollars	250

HOLMESBURG PRISON

Item 4 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(h) Clothing, bedding, dry goods, notions and weaving yarn, one thousand dollars	1,000
(s) Newspapers, tobacco, toilet paper and miscellaneous supplies, two hundred and fifty dollars	250

Item 7 (200 loan). *Equipment:*

(a) Furniture, furnishings and miscellaneous, five hundred dollars	500
(b) Machinery, including purchase of automobile and automobile truck, etc.....	

Total, five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars	\$5,750
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RECEIVER OF TAXES

Item 2 (b) (200 loan). Extra help, three thousand two hundred dollars	3,200
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Item 3 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Meals for regular employees on extra and night work, one thousand dollars	1,000
(c) Postage, three hundred dollars	300
(e) Advertising, one thousand one hundred dollars	1,100

Item 4 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

Miscellaneous and incidentals, one thousand one hundred dollars	1,100
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Item 6 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) Telephone, four hundred dollars	400
(b) Lighting, four hundred dollars	400

Item 7 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Fuel, one hundred dollars	100
(b) Miscellaneous and incidentals, eight hundred dollars	800

Item 11 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(b) Advertising delinquent taxpayers, three thousand dollars	3,000
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Item 13 (200 loan). *Services other than personal:*

(a) For refunding to overseers of the poor of Roxborough, poor tax collected in 1916, five hundred dollars	500
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Total, eleven thousand nine hundred dollars \$11,900

RECORDER OF DEEDS

Item 1 (c) (200 loan). Extra clerk hire, five thousand dollars	\$5,000
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Item 2 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(b) Printing, binding and miscellaneous, two thousand five hundred dollars.....	2,500
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Total, seven thousand five hundred dollars \$7,500

COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK

Item 5 (200 loan). *Personal services:*

(b) Labor, skilled and unskilled, one hundred and thirty thousand dollars	130,000
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Item 7 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(b) Coal, five thousand dollars	5,000
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(e) Oil and gasoline, two thousand five hundred dollars 2,500

Item 8 (200 loan). *Materials:*

(a) General repairs, alterations and renewals to buildings, purchase of and repairs to sprinkling wagons, settees and picnic tables, three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars 3,750

(b) For various maintenance work, six thousand dollars 6,000

(c) Repairs to lawn mowers, seven hundred dollars 700

Item 9 (200 loan). *Supplies:*

(a) Materials and supplies for automobile, four hundred dollars 400

Total, one hundred and forty-eight thousand three hundred and fifty dollars \$148,350

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Item 1 (c) (200 loan). Experts for testimony, two thousand five hundred dollars... \$2,500

Item 2 (200 loan). Miscellaneous supplies and expenses, five thousand dollars..... 5,000

Total, seven thousand five hundred dollars \$7,500

APPENDIX No. 20.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance designating and approving the active depositories of City funds,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Scger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Aurtrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

Designating and approving the active depositories of City funds.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Third National Bank, the Franklin National Bank, the Market Street National Bank and the Commercial Trust Company be, and the same are hereby designated and approved as the active City depositories of the City’s moneys.

Provided, however, That the active depositories designated in this ordinance shall pay the rate of interest provided for in an ordinance approved the twenty-fourth day of December, 1914, entitled “An Ordinance regulating the deposit of City money, and fixing the amount of interest thereon.”

APPENDIX No. 21.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to provide for the selection of four banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the selection of four banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That hereafter the City Treasurer, with the approval and confirmation by Councils, signified by ordinance for that purpose, shall select four banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

SECT. 2. So much of the ordinance approved April 9, 1892, entitled “An Ordinance to regulate the deposit of city moneys by the City Treasurer and the payment of interest thereon,” as amended by ordinances approved January 9, 1908, and February 14, 1910, and of all other ordinances or parts of ordinances as are inconsistent herewith, be, and the same are hereby repealed: *Provided, however*, That the ordinance approved the twenty-fourth

day of December, 1914, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the deposit of city money and fixing the amount of interest thereon" shall not be repealed or in any way affected by the provisions of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 22.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of four million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (4,925,901) dollars to the Department of Law, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, C. J. McKinney, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, James H. McGurk, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, Robert Smith, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. J. Crawford, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation of four million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (4,925,901) dollars to the Department of Law, out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand

seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That out of the forty-two million four hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (42,450,797) dollar loan authorized by ordinance approved June 29, 1916, there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Law, Item 190, the sum of four million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and one (4,925,901) dollars, to pay for damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes.

APPENDIX No. 23.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Watkins street, from Tenth street to Eleventh street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three hundred (300) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Watkins street, from Tenth street to Eleventh street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Watkins street, from Tenth to Eleventh street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 24.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand (2,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T.

Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Paschall avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 25

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Springfield avenue, from Sixtieth street to Cobb's Creek Parkway," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six thousand (6,000) dollars.

We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Springfield avenue, from Sixtieth street to Cobb's Creek Parkway.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Springfield avenue, from Sixtieth street to Cobb's Creek Parkway, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 26.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to full width, from

Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four hundred (400) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Anderson street, to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Anderson street, to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 27.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Somerville avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Ella street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be five hundred (500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Somerville avenue, from
Rising Sun avenue to Ella street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Somerville avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Ella street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 28.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Beaumont street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cobb’s Creek Parkway,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand (3,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Beaumont street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cobb’s Creek Parkway.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Beaumont street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cobb’s Creek Parkway, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 29.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Germantown avenue, to its full width, from Mermaid lane to Moreland avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand (2,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Germantown avenue, to its full width, from Mermaid lane to Moreland avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Germantown avenue, to its full width, from Mermaid lane to Moreland avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 30.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Laurel street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three hundred and thirty-eight thousand (338,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, between
Fairmount avenue and Laurel street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Delaware avenue, as laid out upon the confirmed City plan, between Fairmount avenue and Laurel street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon

the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 31.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Sixty-sixth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand (1,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Sixty-sixth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Greenway avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Sixty-sixth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of

Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 32.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Regent street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two hundred (200) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Regent street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Regent street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 33.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Twentieth street, including the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Twentieth street, including the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Twentieth street, including the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 34.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill to amend ordinance approved October 2, 1914, to authorize the opening of Lexington and Winchester avenues, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend ordinance approved October 2, 1914, to authorize the opening of Lexington and Winchester avenues.

WHEREAS, By ordinance approved October 2, 1914, the Department of Public Works was authorized to open Lexington avenue, from Rhawn street to Large avenue; and Winchester avenue, from Bustleton avenue to Welsh road, on condition that the cost for opening the said streets should not exceed the assessed valuation of the bed of the streets, the estimate of the Department of Public Works of the cost of said opening being eighteen thousand two hundred (18,200) dollars;

AND WHEREAS, While a number of the owners of property were willing to file an agreement that the cost should not exceed the assessed value of the bed of the streets, it is found impossible to secure the consent of all of said owners;

AND WHEREAS, The said avenues are the boundary streets of a portion of Pennypack Park, for which provision for improving said Park having been made; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved October 2, 1914, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Lexington and Winchester avenues," be amended by striking therefrom the following words: "*Provided*, That the cost for opening the said street shall not exceed the assessed valuation of the bed of the streets."

APPENDIX No. 35.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize the opening of Curtin street, from Sixteenth to Nineteenth street," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damage will be three thousand (3,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Curtin street, from Sixteenth street to Nineteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Curtin street, from Sixteenth street to Nineteenth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX, No. 36.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to open

Haines street, from Old York road to Sixteenth street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be seven thousand one hundred (7,100) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Haines street, from Old York road to Sixteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Haines street, from Old York road to Sixteenth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 37.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Eighteenth street, from the center line of Johnston street to the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue; Bigler street, from the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue to Eighteenth street, and the intersection between Eighteenth street, Bigler street and Moyamensing avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six hundred (600) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Eighteenth street, from the center line of Johnston street to the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Eighteenth street, from the center line of Johnston street to the northwest line of Moyamensing avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 38.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wheatsheaf lane,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Wheatsheaf lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the following street will pass, that, at the

expiration of three months from the date of said notice, the said street, for its full width as now upon the confirmed City plan, will be required for public use: Wheatsheaf lane, from the southeast side of Frankford avenue to the line of the Connecting Railway Company, and from the west side of Amber street to the northwest side of Richmond street.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 39.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be eight thousand (8,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which N street, from the north side of Cayuga street to the north side of Hunting Park avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 40.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Moyamensing avenue, to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company’s property east of Twentieth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be twenty-seven thousand (27,000) dollars. We therefore

return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Moyamensing avenue, to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's property east of Twentieth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Moyamensing avenue, to its full width, from Broad street to the north line of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's property east of Twentieth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 41.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Sixty-sixth avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be eight thousand (8,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Sixty-sixth avenue, from
Twelfth street to Broad street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Sixty-sixth avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 42.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Lindley avenue, from Third street to Fourth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be five hundred (500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of
Lindley avenue, from Third street to Fourth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Lindley avenue, from Third street to Fourth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 43.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kingsessing avenue, from Fifty-eighth street to Salford street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be thirteen thousand (13,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Kingsessing avenue, from
Fifty-eighth street to Salford street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Kingsessing avenue, from Fifty-eighth street to Salford street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 44.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street, from Graver’s lane to Hartwell lane,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four thousand six hundred (4,600) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Anderson street, from
Graver’s lane to Hartwell lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Anderson street, from Graver’s lane to Hartwell lane, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 45.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Packer street, from Broad street to west line of Twentieth street produced from the north, intersected with west line of Uber street produced from the south, including intersection of Packer street and Moyamensing avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be forty thousand (40,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Packer street, from Broad street to the west line of Twentieth street produced from the north, intersected with west line of Uber street produced from the south, including intersection of Packer street and Moyamensing avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Packer street, from Broad street to the west line of Twentieth street produced from the north, intersected with west line of Uber street produced from the south, including intersection of Packer street and Moyamensing avenue, will pass,

that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 46.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Warren street, from Fifty-third street to Lansdowne avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable damages will be five hundred (500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Warren street, from Fifty-third street to Lansdowne avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the

owners of property over and through which Warren street, from Fifty-third street to Lansdowne avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 47.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be five thousand (5,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Cayuga street, from the east side of L street to the west side of N street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 48.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand (2,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the intersection of Hunting Park avenue with Leiper street and O street will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 49.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four thousand (4,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T.

Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Cestello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Hunting Park avenue, from the west side of N street to the west side of O street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 50.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Chalmers avenue, from Somerset to Indiana street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be twenty-two thousand (22,000) dollars.

We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Chalmers avenue, from Somerset to Indiana street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Chalmers avenue, from Somerset to Indiana street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 51.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue,” re-

spectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four thousand (4,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Champlost avenue, from Old York road to Park avenue, will pass. that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 52.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize the opening of Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be nine thousand (9,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Pike street, from Kensington avenue to Frankford avenue, will pass. that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 53.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand one hundred (3,100) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Pollock street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 54.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Colorado street to Moyamensing avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six hundred (600) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Pollock street, from Colorado street to Moyamensing avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Pollock street, from Colorado street to Moyamensing avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 55.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance passed November 4, 1915, authorizing the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same. The estimated damages is about one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, W. A. Miller, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, John B. Reynolds, David G. Frankenfield, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, C. Walter Glasgow, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, William C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance passed November 4, 1915, authorizing the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance passed November 4, 1915, notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street," be amended by striking out the word "Twenty-eighth" and inserting the word "Twenty-seventh" in lieu thereof, and by inserting after the words "Twenty-seventh street" the following: "including the intersection of Ritner street, Twenty-fourth avenue, and Passyunk avenue," so

that the ordinance will read "Ritner street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-seventh street, including the intersection of Ritner street, Twenty-fourth avenue, and Passyunk avenue."

APPENDIX No. 56.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Tenth street, from Medary avenue to Godfrey avenue," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six thousand (6,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Tenth street, from Medary avenue to Godfrey avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Tenth street, from Medary avenue to Godfrey avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 57.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Broad street, from Fracker street to Cheltenham avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand (1,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Maekleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Broad street, from Fracker street to Cheltenham avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened

portion of Broad street, from Fracker street to Cheltenham avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 58.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Daggett street, from Race street to Vine street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Daggett street, from Race street to Vine street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Daggett street, from Race street to Vine street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 59.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mascher street, from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be eight hundred (800) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mascher street, from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Mascher street, from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 60.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of O street, from the south side of Hunting Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six thousand (6,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of O street, from the south side of Hunting Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which O street, from the south side of Hunting Park avenue to the north side of Torresdale avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 61.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Wingohocking street, from Broad street to Old York road," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be five thousand (5,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mack-

leer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Wingohocking street, from Broad street to Old York road.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Wingohocking street, from Broad street to Old York road, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 62.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Annsbury street, from Bodine street to Wingohocking street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand (1,000) dollars. We there-

fore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siebert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Annsbury street, from Bodine street to Wingohocking street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Annsbury street, from Bodine street to Wingohocking street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 63.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to au-

thorize the opening of the unopened portion of North Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchen's lane," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be twelve thousand (12,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackler, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchen's lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Wissahickon avenue to Kitchen's lane, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 64.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Sixty-ninth street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Greenway avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Sixty-ninth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Greenway avenue, from Sixty-eighth to Sixty-ninth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 65.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dearnley street, from Ridge avenue to Fowler street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be four thousand (4,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Dearnley street, from Ridge avenue to Fowler street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Dearnley street, from Ridge avenue to Fowler street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 66.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be six thousand (6,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Leiper street, from the east side of O street to the west side of Adams avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 67.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Thirteenth street, between Chestnut street and Clover street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the widening of Thirteenth street, between Chestnut street and Clover street, on the east side.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to widen the east side of Thirteenth street for a distance of eighty-two feet northward an additional twenty feet and four inches, and for a distance of sixty-eight feet northward an additional eighteen feet and four inches.

APPENDIX No. 68.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Fifth to Seventh street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand (2,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. Boal, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, John B. Reynolds, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Fifth to Seventh street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Bristol street, from Fifth to Seventh street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 69.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be eight hundred (\$800) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley (report), H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 70.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand (3,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use: *Provided*, That Francis B. J. Branagan shall dedicate so much of the bed of said street as is owned by him.

SECT. 2. Upon the filing of the deed of dedication referred to in Section 1, the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said

street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 71.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Harvey street, from Main street to Cresson street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Harvey street, from Main street to Cresson street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Harvey street, from Main street to Cresson street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of

Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 72.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Thirty-second street, from Tasker street to the middle of Jackson street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart; H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Thirty-second street, from Tasker street to the middle of Jackson street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Thirty-second street, from Tasker street to the middle of Jackson street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the

date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 73.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Summit avenue, from Ridge avenue to Shalkop street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Summit avenue, from Ridge avenue to Shalkop street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the

owners of property over and through which Summit avenue, from Ridge avenue to Shalkop street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 74.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Sansom street, from Fifty-fifth street to Fifty-sixth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be ten thousand (10,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Sansom street, from Fifty-fifth street to Fifty-sixth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Department of*

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Sansom street, from Fifty-fifth street to Fifty-sixth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of the said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of the said street; upon the filing of the said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 75.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Henry avenue, from Walnut lane to Roxborough avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be five thousand (5,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Henry avenue, from Walnut lane to Roxborough avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Henry avenue, from Walnut lane to Roxborough avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street shall be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of the said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 76.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Hermit street, from Daniel street to Wissahickon avenue," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand (3,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm.

P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Hermit street, from Daniel street to Wissahickon avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Hermit street, from Daniel street to Wissahickon avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 77.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to open, to its full width, Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one hundred (100) dollars. We there-

fore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To open, to its full width, Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to notify the owners of property over and through which Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street, of its full width, will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 78.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Houghton street, from Jamestown

street to Walnut lane," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Houghton street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Houghton street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 79.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to pro-

vide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That whenever any street or other highway is to be paved having a cartway width of fifty-two feet or over, or having two or more cartways of the combined width of fifty-two feet or over, the expense of paving the said width of fifty-two feet shall be assessable, and shall be assessed and paid as now provided by ordinance, and the expense of all cartway paving in excess of that width shall be paid by the City: *Provided, however*, That whenever any street or other highway is to be paved or otherwise improved which is not continuous for a distance exceeding one thousand feet and in which parking, planting or other open spaces surrounded by cartways have been laid out and dedicated to public use, the expense of installing such parking, planting or other open spaces and of paving one-half the width of the cartways surrounding the same, shall be paid by the City: *And provided also*, That the expense of any paving to be paid for by the City under the terms of this ordinance shall be paid from the appropriation to the Bureau of Highways for the paving of intersections, unless otherwise provided for.

SECT. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 80.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving of certain streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for repaving the following streets with asphalt, warrenite, amesite, unionite or filbertine, with vitrified brick gutters, where deemed necessary by the said Director, viz.: Moore street, from Front to Sixth street; Brown street, from Tenth to Broad street; Wallace street, from Brown to Fifteenth street; Pennsylvania avenue (paved portion), from Pennock to Brown street; Chadwick street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Randolph street, from Girard avenue to Master street; Hicks street, from Tasker to Morris street; Paul street, from Frankford avenue to Vandyke street; Lippincott street, from Kensington avenue to Jasper street; Twenty-second street, from Federal to Dickinson street; Clementine street, from Kensington avenue to Jasper street; Juniper street, from Morris street to Wharton street; Carlisle street, from Reed

to Tasker street; Wolf street, south side, from Hicks to Sixteenth street; Emerald street, from Stella to Orleans street; Thirtieth street, from Huntingdon to Lehigh avenue; Montgomery street, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street; Twenty-eighth street, from Jefferson to Montgomery street; Orleans street, from Emerald to Jasper street, and from Frankford avenue to Amber street; Bailey street, from Columbia avenue to Montgomery street; Sixteenth street, from Hunting Park avenue to Cayuga street; Clifford street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street; Clearfield street, from Kensington avenue to Jasper street; Twenty-fifth street, from Thompson to Jefferson street; Berks street, from Glenwood avenue to Twenty-seventh street; south side Market street, from Ludlow to Forty-fifth street; Glenwood avenue, from Berks street to Ridge avenue; Fontaine street, from Thirty-first to Thirty-second street; Gratz street, from Berks to Norris street; D street, from Kensington avenue to Clearfield street; Ontario street, from E to Front street; E street, from Allegheny avenue to Ontario street; Twenty-first street, from Reed to Siegel street; Girard avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Fortieth street; Twenty-first street, from Washington avenue to Oakford street; Twenty-third street, from Walnut to Spruce street; Twenty-fourth street, from Washington avenue to Oakford street; Fifteenth street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Ontario street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Ontario street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Twenty-second street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Stella avenue, from Amber to Frankford avenue; Butler street, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street; Atlantic street, from York road to Thirteenth street; Reese street, from Indiana avenue to Clearfield street; Susquehanna avenue, from Almond to Gaul street; Sixth street, from Pike to Luzerne street; Emerald street, from Allegheny avenue to Glenwood avenue; Jasper street, from Allegheny avenue to Glenwood avenue; Bath street, from Venango to Victoria street; Allen street, from Venango to Pacific street; Victoria street, from Richmond to Balfour street; Thirty-fourth street, from entrance to Fairmount Park;

Forty-third street, from Pine street to Baltimore avenue; Ludlow street, from Thirty-ninth to Fortieth street; Moore street, from Passyunk avenue to Sixteenth street; Sixteenth street, from Porter to Shunk street; Wolf street, from Fifteenth west to present asphalt; Reed street, from Broad to Seventeenth street; Lippincott street, from Amber street to Pennsylvania Railroad; Media street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Pearl street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street; west side of Sixty-third street, from Market to Vine street; Master street, from Fifty-fourth to Sixtieth street; Summer street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street; Frazier street, from Vine street to Westminster avenue; Susquehanna avenue from Cedar to Memphis street; Sepviva street, from Lehigh avenue to Cumberland street; Martha street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon street; Dauphin street, from Emerald to Cedar street; Sixth street, from Green to Chestnut street; Fifth street, from Green to Market street.

The following streets with asphalt, and granite blocks between tracks: Ridge avenue, from Rector to Hermitage street; Thirty-sixth street, from Sansom street to Woodland avenue; Christian street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; Morris street, from Twenty-first street to Point Breeze avenue; Wharton street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street; Wharton street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Fairmount avenue, from Marshall to Broad street; Seventh street, from Spruce to Walnut street; Thirteenth street, from Spruce to Walnut street; Darien street, from Columbia to Montgomery avenue; Master street, from Sixth to Tenth street; Reed street, from Broad to Seventeenth street; Jefferson street, from Franklin to Eighth street; Seventeenth street, from Chestnut to Market street; Leithgow street, from Berks to Cadwallader street; Hicks street, from Reed street north to present asphalt; Mole street, from Reed street north to present asphalt; Haverford avenue, from Sixty-third to Sixty-eighth street.

The following streets with vitrified brick: Marshall street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Greenwich street,

from Marshall to Seventh street; Perot street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street; Leithgow street, from Girard avenue to Thompson street; Mutter street, from Colonial to Huntingdon street; Hope street, from Diamond to Berks street; Mole street, from Wharton street north to dead end, and from Dickinson to Moore street; Clarion street, from Morris street north to dead end; Bancroft street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Eighteenth street, from Susquehanna avenue to Glenwood avenue; Taney street, from Columbia avenue to Montgomery avenue; St. Albans street, from Twentieth to Twenty-second street; Patton street, from Berks to Norris street; Taylor street, from Montgomery avenue to Berks street; Emery street, from Buckius to Ash street; Day street, from Wildey to Emery street; Chew street, from Cheltenham avenue about one hundred and seventy-five feet northwest of Price street; Ludlow street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street.

The following streets with granite block: Salter street, from Third street to blind end; Hall street, from Orianna street to dead end; Orianna street, from Montrose to Carpenter street; Fairhill street, from Montrose street to Washington avenue; Montrose street, from Fifth to Sixth street; Kimball street, from Passyunk avenue to Eighth street; Kimball street, from Tenth to Eleventh street; Germantown avenue, from Cambria street to Erie avenue; League street, from Eighth to Tenth street; Franklin street, from Washington avenue to dead end; Moravian street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Darien street, from Locust to Walnut street; Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue; Ninth street, from Market to Arch street; Emery street, from Clearfield street to Allegheny avenue; Thirteenth street, from Arch to Vine street; Second street, from Vine street to Fairmount avenue; Martha street, from Ann to Clearfield street; Fairmount avenue, from Delaware avenue to Third street; Fletcher street, from Richmond to Wildey street; Fulton street, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; Woodland avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Seventieth street; Rosewood street, from Fitzwater to Christian street; Sen-

ate street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Martha street, from Ann to Clearfield street; Commerece street, from Twelfth to Broad street; Chester avenue, from Westchester Railroad to Fifty-fifth street.

The following streets with wood blocks, and granite blocks between tracks: Fourth and Carpenter streets, in front of Emanuel Lutheran Church; Eleventh street, from Spruce to Walnut street; Germantown avenue, from East Penn street to about one hundred and fifty feet northwest of East Coulter street; Twelfth street, from Market to Arch street.

The following streets with wood block: Eighteenth street, from Wolf to Ritner street; Belgrade street, from Susquehanna avenue to a point north two hundred feet; Wolf street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street; Susquehanna avenue, from Almond to Livingstone street; Seventh street, from Chestnut to Arch street; Berks street, southwest of Frankford avenue for a distance of one hundred and fifty feet; Frankford avenue, from Berks to a point one hundred and fifty feet southeast; Frankford avenue, south of Montgomery avenue for a distance of one hundred and fifty feet; Richmond street, one hundred and fifty feet north of Marlborough street; Berks street, northeast of Frankford avenue for a distance of one hundred and fifty feet; Memphis street, from Berks street to a point one hundred and fifty feet southeast; Susquehanna avenue, from Belgrade street to a point west one hundred and fifty feet; Eighth street, one hundred and fifty feet north of York street; Mascher street, from Norris to present wood block; Seventh street, one hundred and fifty feet north of York street; Columbia avenue, from Broad to Twenty-third street.

The following streets with asphalt, and granite blocks between the rails and vitrified brick gutters: Lancaster avenue, from Forty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Fortieth street, from the entrance to Fairmount Park; Baltimore avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street; Woodland avenue, from Market to Walnut street; Sixtieth street, from Market to Catharine street; Chester avenue, from Forty-second street to the Westchester Railroad.

The cost of said repaving to be paid out of any item in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 81.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading and paving of Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading and paving of Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into a contract for grading Rising Sun avenue, between Levick street and Godfrey avenue, to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc.

The contract for the grading shall include the paving between and adjacent to the rails and in the dummy of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company tracks with dressed granite blocks on a six-inch concrete base.

The cost of said grading and paving to be taken from items for grading and paving which have been or which may hereafter be made to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): *Provided*, That the work shall be advertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 82.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curb and lay footway pavements,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Wm. Boal, Charles Seger, H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Harrington, John J. McKinley, Jr., Wm. E. Finley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, H. F. Kennedy, George H. Kelley, Wm. P. Siegert, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., G. F. Connell.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curb and lay footway pavements.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Oxford avenue, from Pine road to D street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements, and if said owners of property shall fail to lay such footways and set curbs as required on twenty days' previous notice in writing from the Department of Public Works to do said work, the said Department is hereby directed to cause said work to be done, the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property of such owners so in default.

APPENDIX No. 83.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the improving of certain country roads.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the improving of the following country roads to a width not exceeding eighteen feet in the center, viz.: Walnut lane, from Wissahickon avenue to one hundred and sixty feet west of Daniel street; Sarah street, from Hermit lane to Walnut lane; Daniel street, from Walnut lane to Hermit lane; Dupont street, from Lawnton street to Rochelle avenue; Kingsley street, from Wissahickon avenue to Walnut lane; Wigard street, from Ridge avenue to Fowler street; Park Line Drive, from Cliveden to Hortter street; Upsal street, from Wissahickon avenue to Park Line Drive; Canton street, from Levering avenue to Wright street; Ridge avenue, from Lamont street to Harmon road; Hortter street, from Wissahickon avenue to Park Line Drive; Osborne street, from Ridge avenue to Cresson street; Northwestern avenue, from Old Bells Mill road to Ridge avenue; Old Bells Mill road, from Bells Mill road to Northwestern avenue; Manatawna avenue, from Thomas lane to Township Line road; Ardleigh street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Gowen avenue; Ardleigh avenue, from Mermaid avenue to Springfield avenue; Moreland avenue, from Germantown avenue to Ardleigh avenue; Shawnee street, from Highland avenue to Hartwell avenue; McCallum street, from Johnson street to Washington lane; Stenton avenue, from Eastburn avenue to Ogontz avenue; Moreland avenue, from Germantown avenue to Ardleigh street; Springfield avenue, from Germantown avenue to Cresheim Valley Drive; Fiftieth street, from City avenue to Woodbine avenue; Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road westward two hundred and thirty-five feet; Forty-seventh street, from Conshohocken avenue to City avenue; Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to Woodbine avenue; Pine road, from Welsh road to the macadamized portion of Pine

road; Knights road, from Red Lion road to County Line; Moro and Fairview streets, from Rhawn street to Welsh road; Crispin street, from Rhawn street to Solly street; Fanshaw street, from J street to one hundred and seventy-eight feet west of H street; Lawndale avenue, from Comly street to Devereaux street; I street, from North Comly street to Devereaux street; J street, from Benner street to Devereaux street; Cobb's Creek Parkway, from Church lane to Sixty-fifth street; Brewster street, from Eighty-third street to Eighty-sixth street; Eighty-fifth street, from Tinicum avenue to Vance avenue; Cobb's Creek Parkway, from Woodland avenue to Church lane; Eastwick avenue, from Island road to Eighty-eighth street; Avenue F, from Island road to Eightieth street; Saybrook avenue, from Eighty-fifth to Ninetieth street; Eightieth street, from Dicks avenue to Buist avenue; Holstein avenue, from Eighty-first street to Eighty-second street; Milnor street, from Cottman street to Bleigh street; unimproved portion of Tyson street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street from curb to curb; Wells street, from Bristol pike to Charles street; Benner street, from Walker street to Erdrick street; Montague street, from Comly street to Benner street; Erdrick street, from Comly street to Benner street; Algard street, from Benner street to Devereaux street; James street, from Princeton street to Friendship street; Vincent street, from Torresdale avenue to Hegerman street; Arendel avenue, from Frankford avenue to Keystone street; Torresdale avenue, from Blakiston to Linden street; Marsden street, from Disston to Unruh street; Jackson street, from Tyson to Princeton street; Glenlock street, from Tyson to Princeton street; Ditman street, from Tyson to Princeton street; Marsden street, from Tyson to Princeton street; Edmund street, from Tyson to Knorr street; Eleventh street, from Cheltenham to Medary avenue; Cheltenham avenue, from Limekiln pike to Vernon road; Eleventh street shoulders, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Twelfth street, from Cheltenham avenue to Medary avenue; Park avenue, from Cheltenham avenue to Medary avenue; Independence avenue, from Sixth street to Fifth street; Tenth street,

from Cheltenham avenue to Spencer street; Broad street, from Olney avenue to Oak lane; Ninth street, from Oak lane to Sixty-ninth avenue north; Fairhill street, from Sixty-fifth avenue north to Sixty-sixth avenue north; Sixty-fourth street north, from Fifth street to Fairhill street; Weaver street, from Limekiln pike to Ogontz avenue; Sydenham street, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth avenue; Hedley street, from Richmond street to Bath street.

APPENDIX No. 84.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of Frankford avenue, State road or Tacony street, and providing for certain payments by the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company, and the filing of a bond,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the improvement of Frankford avenue, State road or Tacony street, and Rhawn street, and providing for certain payments by the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company, and the filing of a bond.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the

Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts for the improvement of Frankford avenue, from Bridge street to County Line; State Road or Tacony street, from Bridge street to Rhawn street; and Rhawn street, from Frankford avenue to State road or Tacony street.

On Frankford avenue the improvement shall consist of resurfacing the present roadway with a strip of bituminous macadam not exceeding twenty feet in width on a concrete base where the tracks are on the side of the road, and with strips not exceeding ten feet in width of bituminous pavement on a concrete base in shoulders where the tracks are in the center of the road; and repaving the existing brick pavement with new brick or granite block on a concrete base between the rails and in the dummy of the tracks of the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company; the resurfacing of the waterbound macadam which will not be disturbed by the construction of the bituminous pavement.

On State road or Tacony street the improvement shall consist of resurfacing the present roadway with a strip of bituminous macadam to a width not exceeding twenty feet; repaving the existing brick pavement with new brick or granite block, on a concrete base, between and adjacent to the rails of the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company; the resurfacing of the waterbound macadam which will not be disturbed by the construction of the bituminous pavement.

On Rhawn street the improvement shall consist of resurfacing the present roadway with a strip of bituminous macadam to a width not exceeding sixteen feet; repaving the existing brick pavement and granite block with new brick or granite block, on concrete base, between the rails of the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company, and under the bridge; the resurfacing of the waterbound macadam which will not be disturbed by the construction of the bituminous pavement.

The cost thereof to be taken from any item or items of appropriations to the Department of Public Works, Bu-

reau of Highways, for improving country roads or resurfacing or repaving which have been or may be hereafter made.

Provided, That the Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company, in lieu of all former obligations for payment of car license fees, street paving and maintenance and snow removal, pay into the City Treasury for the year 1916 the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, and for each year thereafter the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars until 1926; from 1926 to 1936, the sum of three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars per annum; from 1936 to 1946, the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars per annum; from 1946 to 1956, the sum of four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars per annum; and from 1956 forward the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars per annum: *Provided further*, That the said Frankford, Tacony and Holmesburg Street Railway Company shall first file a bond in the sum of \$100,000 with the City of Philadelphia, in a form approved by the City Solicitor, for the faithful performance of the foregoing provisions.

Provided also, That the property owners shall not be released from paying for paving the above streets and roads with improved pavement when the same may be directed to be so paved by an ordinance of Councils.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 85.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to grade certain streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The estimated damages

in this is fifty-one thousand two hundred (51,200) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, W. A. Miller, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, John B. Reynolds, David G. Frankenfield, Geo. Connell, H. Edgar Barnes, C. Walter Glasgow, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John N. Costello, Wm. C. Williams, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of A, Ainslie, Airdrie, Albanus, Algard, Allman, Almond, Apsley, Arch, Ardleigh, Ashdale, Atlantic, Bambrey, Beaumont, Beechwood, Berkeley, Berks, Beulah, Bigler, Boyer, Broad, Bowman, Camac, Carlisle, Chancellor, Chatham, Chew, Church, Clearfield, Cleveland, Collins, Colonial, Colorado, Cottman, Courtland, Croskey, Daggett, Dakota, Darien, Devereaux, Dorcas, Dunlap, Earlham, Edgemont, Edgewood, Ella, Ellsworth, Erdrick, Euclid, Eighteenth, Eighty-eighth, Fairhill, Felton, Franklin, Fifth, Fifteenth, Fifty-third, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Garfield, Gerry, Glenview, Grange, Gratz, Had-dington, Hedley, Herbert, Howard, Hicks, Hope, Hutchinson, Hilton, I, Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Johnson, Knorr, Keim, Lawnton, Litchfield, Livingstone, Loudon, Logan, Ludlow, Luray, Madison, Malta, Marshall, Martha, Mathias, McCallum, Mentor, Mildred, Monmouth, Morris, Morse, Myrtlewood, Nassau, Norwood, Northumberland, Opal, Oxford, Palethorp, Peach, Pechin, Pentridge, Pike, Pollock, Pratt, Prentice, Rand, Regent, Ruby, Ruscomb, Sartain, Sheridan, Simpson, Smedley, Sprague, St. Vincent, Sydenham, Second, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Seventy-second, Spencer, Third, Thompson, Tenth, Thirteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Umbria, Walker, Warnock, Water, Webster, Weikel, Wilt,

Willard, Woodlawn and Woodstock streets, Abington, Abbotsford, Adams, Arlington, Bellfield, Champlost, Chelten, Chester, Clarkson, Columbia, Eastwick, Eastburn, Florence, Greenway, Kingsessing, Lansdowne, Lebanon, Mt. Pleasant, Malvern, Monastery, Montgomery, Nedro, Osage, Park, Parker, Point Breeze, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Somerville, Warrington, Willow Grove, Wynecote and Wyoming avenues, Fernhill, Marlyn and York roads, Limekiln pike, Hermit lane, Walnut lane, Erringer place, Cobb's Creek Parkway, Asbury Terrace, and Cresheim Valley Drive.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: A street, from Wyoming avenue to Courtland street; Ainslie street, from Henry to Vaux street; Airdrie street, from Kensington avenue to N street; Albanus street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; Algard street, from Unruh to Longshore street; Allman street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue; Almond street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Apsley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Arch street, from Sixty-third to Gross street; Ardleigh street, from Mt. Airy avenue to Gowen avenue; Ashdale street (opened portion), from Front to Mascher street; Atlantic street, from Rand street to I street; Bambrey street, from Morris to Moore street; Beaumont street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Beechwood street, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Stenton avenue, and from Chelten avenue to Wynecote avenue; Berkley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Berks street, from Fifty-fourth street to Upland Way; Beulah street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Bigler street, from Fifteenth street to Moyamensing avenue; Boyer street, from Haines street to Washington lane; Broad street, from Olney avenue to Grange street, and from Old York road to Elbow lane; Bowman street, from Henry to Vaux

street; Camac street, from Somerville to Clarkson avenue; Carlisle street, from Elbow lane to Haines street, and from Olney avenue to Chew street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Chatham street, from Tioga to Venango street; Chew street, from Thirteenth to Sydenham street; Church street, from Stiles to Tacony street; Clearfield street, from Front to Second street; Cleveland street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Collins street, from Willard to Ontario street; Colonial street, from Ogontz avenue to Twentieth street; Colorado street, from Oregon avenue to Packer street; Cottman street, from Penway to Montour street; Courtland street, from Front to Ella street; Croskey street, from Cambria to Indiana street; Daggett street, from Lansdowne avenue to Malvern avenue; Dakota street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Darien street, from Lycoming street to Hunting Park avenue, and from Bristol to Cayuga street; Devereaux street, from Castor road to Oxford pike; Dorcas street, from Cottman avenue to Faunce street; Dunlap street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Earlham street, from Archer to Laurens street; Edgemont street, from Westmoreland to forty feet northeast of Schiller street; Edgewood street, from Regent street to Chester avenue; Ella street, from Clearfield street to Indiana avenue, and from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue; Ellsworth street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Erdrick street, from Unruh to Disston street; Euclid street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Eighteenth street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Eighty-eighth street, from Tincum avenue to Vance street; Fairhill street, from Cheltenham avenue to Green lane, and from Olney avenue to Grange street; Felton street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; Franklin street, from Loudon street to Lindley avenue, and from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Fifth street, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-seventh avenue; Fifteenth street, from Bigler to Packer street, and from Olney avenue to Chew street, and from Nedro avenue to Champlost street; Fifty-third street, from Warrington avenue to Florence avenue; Fifty-sixth street, from Berks street to Upland Way; Fifty-seventh street, from Had-

dington street to Lancaster avenue; Fifty-ninth street, from Chester avenue to Florence avenue, and from Walnut to Spruce street; Garfield street, from Greene street to eleven-foot wide alley outlet on Seymour street; Gerry street, from Sixty-sixth avenue to Eastburn avenue; Glenview street, from Algard street to Frankford avenue; Grange street, from Park avenue to Thirteenth street; Gratz street, from Cheltenham avenue to Medary avenue; Haddington street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street, and from Prentice street to Sixty-fourth street; Hedley street, from Richmond to Bath street; Herbert street, from Castor road to Romona street; Hicks street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Hope street, from Indiana to Clearfield street; Howard street, from Loudon street to Rockland street, and from Tioga to Venango street; Hutchinson street, from Courtland to Rockland street; Hilton street, from E to F street; I street, from Tioga to Ontario street, intersection of Eighteenth street, Pike street and Pulaski avenue; Irving street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Isenminger street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Janney street, from Ann to Cambria street; Jefferson street, from Wynnewood road to Daggett street; Johnston street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; Knorr street, from Cottage to Frankford avenue; Keim street, from Hilton to Westmoreland street; Lawnton street, from Livezey street to south side of Parker street; Litchfield street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Livingstone street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Loudon street, from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue, and from Rising Sun avenue to Mascher street, and from Seventh to Marshall street; Logan street, from Pulaski street to Happy Hollow Playground; Ludlow street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Luray street, from A street to Rising Sun avenue; Madison street, from Cedar avenue to Aramingo street; Malta street, from Tioga to Atlantic street; Marshall street, from The Boulevard to Rockland street, and from Lindley to Duncannon avenue, and from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street; Martha street, from Cambria to Ann street;

Mathias street, from Parker street to Fairthorne avenue; McCallum street, from Walnut lane to Harvey street; Mentor street, from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue, and from Second to Third street; Mildred street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Monmouth street, from Tulip to Janney street; Morris street, from Logan street to Roberts avenue; Morse street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Myrtlewood street, from Dickinson street to Tasker street; Nassau street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Norwood street, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-fifth avenue; Northumberland street, from Cottman to St. Vincent street; Opal street, from Sixty-sixth avenue to Sixty-seventh avenue; Oxford street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-first street; Palethorp street, from Clearfield to Lippincott street; Peach street, from Florence avenue to Warrington avenue; Peehin street, from Leverington avenue to Hermitage street; Pentridge street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street; Pike street, from Sixteenth to Eighteenth street; Pollock street, from Fifteenth to Colorado street; Pratt street, from Duffield to Charles street; Prentice street, from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; Rand street, from Tioga to Atlantic street; Regent street, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue; Ruby street, from Florence avenue to Warrington avenue; Ruscomb street, from Rising Sun avenue to Front street, and from Seventh to Ninth street; Sartain street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Sheridan street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Simpson street, from Lansdowne avenue to Malvern avenue; Smedley street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street, and from Oregon avenue to Packer street; Sprague street, from Bellfield avenue to Dorset street; St. Vincent street, from Pennway to Montour street; Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue to Elbow lane; Second street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Sixth street, from New Annsbury street to The Boulevard; Seventh street, from Johnston street to League Island road, and from Courtland street to The Boulevard; Sixteenth street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street, from Olney avenue to Spencer street, and from Oregon avenue to

Packer street; Seventeenth street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street, from Oregon avenue to Packer street, from Nedro avenue to Champlost avenue, and from Pike to Luzerne street; Sixtieth street, from Jefferson street to Lancaster avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Lebanon to Woodbine avenue, and from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; Sixty-fifth street, from Lansdowne avenue to Malvern avenue; Sixty-sixth street, from Malvern avenue to Woodbine avenue; Sixty-eighth street, from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Chester avenue; Seventy-second street, from Elmwood avenue to P. W. & B. R. R.; Spencer street (regrading), from Norwood to Lambert street; Third street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Thompson street, from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Tenth street, from Wyoming avenue to Courtland street; Thirteenth street, from Olney avenue to Grange street, and from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Twentieth street, from Stenton avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Twenty-first street (regrading), from Church lane to about one hundred and fifty feet north of Spencer street, grading from Nedro avenue to Kemble avenue, and from Sixty-fifth avenue to Eastburn avenue; Umbria street, from Minerva street to Domino lane, and from eighty feet southeast of Domino lane to about eighty feet northwest of Domino lane; Walker street, from Diss-ton to Unruh street; Warnock street, from Wyoming to Loudon street; Water street, from Tabor road to Clarkson avenue; Webster street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street; Weikel street, from Ann to Monmouth street; Wilt street, from Belgrade street south to dead end; Willard street, from Tampa to E street; Woodlawn street, from Anderson to Ardleigh street; Woodstock street, from Sixty-sixth to Stenton avenue; Abington avenue, from Germantown avenue to Ardleigh street; Abbotsford avenue, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Adams avenue, from Orthodox street to Castor avenue; Arlington avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Bellfield avenue, from Upsal to Sprague street, and from Broad street to Old York road; Champlost avenue, from Sixteenth street to Ogontz avenue, and from Ninth to Tenth street; Cheltenham avenue, from Fifth to Fairhill street; Cheltenham.

avenue, from Old York road to Washington lane; Chester avenue, from Sixty-fifth street to Cemetery avenue; Clarkson avenue, from Twelfth street to York road; Columbia avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-first street; Eastwick avenue (to a passable grade), from Eighty-seventh street to Alburger lane; Eastburn avenue, from Wistar to Twenty-first street, and from Limekiln pike to Twenty-first street; Florence avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Greenway avenue, from Sixty-eighth to Sixty-ninth street; Kingsessing avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-second street; Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-sixth street; Lansdowne avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-sixth street; Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Ardleigh street to Mt. Airy avenue; Malvern avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-sixth street; Monastery avenue, from Pechin street to Manayunk avenue; Montgomery avenue, from Fifty-fourth street to Upland Way; Nedro avenue, from Beechwood to Twenty-first street, and from Broad to Nineteenth street; Osage avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Park avenue, from Grange street to Olney avenue; Parker avenue, from Matthias to Lawnton street; Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street, and relocate curb; Sixty-fifth avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Limekiln pike; Sixty-sixth avenue, from Wister to Twenty-first street, and from Limekiln pike to Twentieth street; Sixty-seventh avenue, from Limekiln pike to Ogontz avenue; Sixty-eighth avenue, from west side of Fifteenth street to Sixteenth street; Sixty-ninth avenue, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Somerville avenue, from Broad street to Old York road; Warrington avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street; Willow Grove avenue, from Germantown avenue to Creshelm Valley Drive; Wyncote avenue, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Wyoming avenue, from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue; Fernhill road, from Berkley street to Abbottsford avenue; Marlyn road, from Haverford avenue to Lansdowne avenue (full width); York road, from Olney avenue to Grange street; Limekiln pike, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Hermit

lane, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street; Walnut lane, from Chew to Boyer street; Erringer Place, from Manheim to Clapier street; Cobb's Creek Parkway, from Larchwood avenue to Catharine street; Asbury Terrace, from Verbena street to Lakeside avenue; Cresheim Valley Drive, from Willow Grove avenue to Springfield avenue.

The cost of said work to be taken from the grading items in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. In all cases where the material required to excavate or fill any legally opened street within six blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used; the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract: *Provided*, That the grading shall be advertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders: *And further provided*, That the cost of grading Cheltenham avenue, from Old York road to Washington lane, as should be properly borne by Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County, shall be paid for by the City, and shall be placed in the hands of the City Solicitor for collection from said township or county.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 86.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave certain streets," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Geo. Connell, Wm. Boal, John N. Costello, George H. Kelley, Thomas S. T. Mackleer,

Wm. P. Siegert, Wm. C. Williams, George E. Dorwart, H. Edgar Barnes, John B. Reynolds, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To pave certain streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts with competent pavers for paving the following streets with the best quality of refined natural asphalt, using vitrified brick gutters when and where deemed necessary by the Director of said Department, viz.: A street, from Wyoming avenue to Courtland street and from Rockland to Ruscomb street; Airdrie street, from Kensington avenue to N street; Albanus street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; Almond street, from Ontario to Venango street; American street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Anderson street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Mt. Airy avenue; Ardleigh street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Mt. Airy avenue; Arch street, from Sixty-third to Gross street; Atlantic street, from Rand to I street; Ashdale street, from Front to Mascher street; Bambrey street, from Morris to Moore street; Beaumont street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Beulah street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Beechwood street, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Stenton avenue and from Cheltenham avenue to Wyncote avenue; Braddock street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Broad street, from Olney avenue to Chew street and from York road to Elbow lane; Cambridge street, from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street; Carlisle street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Cayuga street, from Sixth to Ninth street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Chatham street, from Tioga to Venango street; Chew street, from Park avenue to Thirteenth street and from Fifth to Sixth street and from Broad to Sydenham street; Church street, from Stiles to Tacony street; Clearfield street, from Front to

Second street; Coleman street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Collins street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Colorado street, from Oregon avenue to Packer street; Cottage street, from Higbee to Benner street; Courtland street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue, from Seventh street to The Boulevard and from Ninth to Eleventh street; Daggett street, from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; Dakota street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Darien street, from Bristol to Cayuga street, and from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Dunlap street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Earlham street, from Laurens to Archer street; Edgewood street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Edgemont street, from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Ella street, from Tabor road to Clarkson street; Ellsworth street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Eighth street, from The Boulevard to Lindley avenue and from Wyoming avenue to Ruscomb street; Eighteenth street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Fairhill street, from Rockland to Ashdale street and from Olney avenue to Grange street; Felton street, from Catharine street to Cedar avenue; Franklin street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street and from Loudon street to Lindley avenue; Frazier street, from Vine street to Westminster avenue; Front street, from Ruscomb street to The Boulevard; Fifteenth street, from Nedro avenue to Champlost avenue and from Haines street to Sixty-ninth avenue and from Olney avenue to Chew street; Fifty-third street, from Willows avenue to Warrington avenue; Fifty-fourth street, from Willows avenue to Florence avenue and from Woodland avenue to Paschall avenue; Fifty-seventh street, from Jefferson to Haddington street; Fifty-ninth street, from Nassau street to Lancaster avenue and from Chester avenue to Florence avenue and from Walnut to Spruce street; G street, from Venango street to the P. R. R. bridge; Galloway street, from Porter to Shunk street; Garfield street, from Greene street to eleven-foot alley outlet on Seymour street; Gerry street, from Sixty-sixth avenue to Eastburn avenue; Grange street, from Thirteenth street to Park avenue; Gross street, from Arch to Race street; Haddington street, from Fifty-

seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Henley street, from Mannheim to Hansberry street; Hicks street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Hilton street, from E to F street; Howard street, from Tioga to Venango street; Hutchinson street, from Courtland to Rockland street; I street, from Tioga to Ontario street; Intersection of Eighteenth, Pike streets and Pulaski avenue; Irving street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Iseminger street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Janney street, from Ann to Cambria street; Jefferson street, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-fifth street; Johnston street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; Keim street, from Hilton to Westmoreland street; Litchfield street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Livingstone street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Locust street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Logan street, from Pulaski avenue to Happy Hollow playground; Loudon street, from Second to Third street, from Palethorp to Mascher street, from Seventh to Ninth street and from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue; Ludlow street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Luray street, from A street to Rising Sun avenue; Luzerne street, from Wayne avenue to Hunting Park avenue and from Seventeenth street to German town avenue; Lycoming street, from Eighth to Ninth street; McCallum street, from Walnut lane to Harvey street; Madison street, from Cedar street to Aramingo avenue; Malta street, from Tioga to Atlantic street; Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street; Martha street, from Cambria to Ann street; Marvine street, from Clarkson avenue to Somerville avenue; Mentor street, from Front to A street, from Second to Third street and from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue; Mercer street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Mildred street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Monmouth street, from Tulip to Janney street; Musgrave street, from Johnson to Upsal street; Myrtlewood street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Nassau street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-first street; Norwood street, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-fifth avenue; Ninth street, from Wyoming avenue to Ruscomb street; Nineteenth street, from Shunk street to

Oregon avenue; Oxford street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Palethorp street, from Clearfield to Lippincott street and from Loudon street to The Boulevard; Peach street, from Florence avenue to Warrington avenue; Pentridge street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street; Philip street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Pickwick street, from Salmon to Thompson street; Pike street, from Sixteenth to Eighteenth street; Poplar street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Plum street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Rand street, from Tioga to Atlantic street; Rockland street, from Fifth to Ninth street; Rorer street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Ruby street, from Florence avenue to Warrington avenue; Ruscomb street, from Seventh to Ninth street and from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; Sartain street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Sedgwick street, from Emlen street to Lincoln drive; Simpson street, from Haddington avenue to Lansdowne avenue and from Lebanon avenue to Malvern avenue; Sheridan street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Smedley street, from Oregon avenue to Moyamensing avenue, from Rockland street to Fisher's lane and from Pike to Luzerne street; Stewart street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Second street, from Mentor street to The Boulevard; Sixth street, from Chew to Grange street and from New Annsbury street to The Boulevard; Seventh street, from The Boulevard to Lindley avenue, from Tabor road to Olney avenue, from Wingo-hocking street to The Boulevard, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street and from Cayuga to Wingohocking street; Sixteenth street, from Pike to Luzerne street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street and from Olney avenue to Nedro avenue; Seventeenth street, from Oregon avenue to Moyamensing avenue, from Rockland to Ruscomb street, from Nedro avenue to Church lane and from Pike to Luzerne street; Sixtieth street, from Jefferson street to Lancaster avenue; Sixty-first street, from Oxford street to Lancaster avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Lebanon avenue to Woodbine avenue; Sixty-fifth street, from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; Sixty-eighth street, from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Greenway avenue and

from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Chester avenue; Seventy-second street, from Elmwood avenue to Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore Railroad; Tampa street, from Allegheny avenue to Westmoreland street; Thompson street, from Belmont eastward about 200 feet, from Tioga to Venango street and from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Tilton street, from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Tower street, from Roxborough avenue to Shur's lane; Third street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue and from Delphine street to Olney avenue; Tenth street, from Loudon to Rockland street and from Wyoming avenue to Courtland street; Thirteenth street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Twenty-first street, from Church lane to Spencer street, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Eastburn avenue and from Nedro avenue to Kemble avenue; Twenty-second street, from Ritner to Porter street; Twenty-ninth street, from Morris to Jackson street; Upland street, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-eighth street; Venango street, from Lee to Howard street; Wakeling street, from Oxford avenue to Horrocks street; Warnock street, from Courtland to Loudon street; Wensley street, from Emerald to Jasper street; Water street, from Tabor road to Clarkson avenue; Weikel street, from Ann to Monmouth street; Weymouth street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Willard street, from Tampa to E street; Wilnot street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Wilt street, from Belgrade street south to dead end; Womrath street, from Tackawanna street to Torresdale avenue; Worth street, from Margaret to Wakeling street; Yocum street, from Shields to Sixty-seventh street; Bellfield avenue, from Loudon to East Penn street and from Broad street to Old York road; Champlost avenue, from York road to Ogontz avenue; Clarkson avenue, from Third to Mascher street; Cliveden avenue, from Magnolia to Chew street; Columbia avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Eastburn avenue, from Wister to Twenty-first street; Florence avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street; Grays avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street; Greenway avenue, from Sixty-third to Sixty-fourth street; Hazel avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first

street; Kingsessing avenue, from Frazier to Fifty-sixth street and from Cemetery avenue to Sixty-fifth street; Lansdowne avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-sixth street; Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street; Lindley avenue, from Fifth to Ninth street; Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Ardleigh street to Mt. Airy avenue; Malvern avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Medary avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Limekiln pike; Nedro avenue, from York road to Nineteenth street; Oregon avenue, from Thirteenth to Twenty-first street; Osage avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Park avenue, from Nedro avenue south to land of Fern Rock Land Association and from Grange street to Olney avenue; Rubicam avenue, from Brighthurst to Penn street; Sixty-fifth avenue, from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; Sixty-sixth avenue, from Wister to Twenty-first street; Sixty-eighth avenue, from the west side of Fifteenth street to Sixteenth street; Sixty-ninth avenue, from Broad street to York road; Somerville avenue, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street; Stenton avenue, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Wister street; Torresdale avenue, from Kensington avenue to N street; Warrington avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street; Woodlawn avenue, from Ardleigh to Anderson street; Wyncote avenue, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Wyoming avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh street, from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue, from Mascher to Fifth street and from Eighth to Ninth street; Marlyn road, from Lansdowne avenue to Haverford avenue; Tabor road, from Fourth to Sixth street; Limekiln pike, from Cheltenham avenue to Sixty-sixth street; Asbury Terrace, from Verbena street to Lakeside avenue; Cobb's Creek Parkway, from Spruce to Catharine street and from Baltimore avenue to Hoffman street.

The following streets with vitrified fire clay or shale bricks or blocks, viz.: Apsley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Berkeley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Collum street, from Sheldon street to Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Dexter street, from Seville to Markle street; Front street, from The Boulevard to Ruscomb street; Haines street, from Sharp to Cresson

street; Lambert street, from Church lane to Spencer street; Manor street, from East to Hermit street; Morris street, from Logan street to Roberts avenue; Poplar street, from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street; Rector street, from Main to Cresson street; Sharp street, from Harvey to Dawson street; Shawnee street, from Hartwell avenue to Abington avenue; Silverwood street, from Cotton to Levering street; Second street, from Wyoming avenue to Mentor street; Sixth street, from New Annsbury street to The Boulevard; Spencer street, from Twentieth to Lambert street; Seventy-second street, from Paschall avenue to Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore Railroad; Thirteenth street, from Grange street to Olney avenue; Tower street, from Levering to Grape street; Woodstock street, from Church lane to Spencer street and from Stenton avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Abbotsford avenue, from McKean to Morris street; Nedro avenue, from Beechwood to Twenty-first street; Somerville avenue, from Eleventh to Twelfth street; Wyalusing avenue, from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street; Erringer place, from Manheim to Clapier street.

The following street with asphalt, with vitrified brick gutters and granite blocks between the tracks, viz.: Cheltenham avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Limekiln pike.

The following streets with dressed granite blocks, viz.: Bonsall street, from Sansom to Ionic street; Brighthurst street, from Rubicam street to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Rector street, from Silverwood to Tower street; Roxborough street, from Tower to Boone street; Seville street, from Manayunk avenue to Dexter street; Manayunk avenue, from Krams street to Leverington avenue; Pennsylvania avenue, from Pennock to Brown street (unpaved portion).

The following street with an eighteen (18) feet center strip of bituminous macadam, water-bound macadam shoulders and vitrified brick gutters, viz.: Lincoln drive, from Willow Grove avenue to Abington avenue: *Provided*, That said Cheltenham avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Limekiln pike, and Fifty-fourth street, from Woodland

avenue to Paschall avenue, and Pike street, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, may be paved without a sewer first being constructed therein.

The portion of the work to be paid for by the City shall be taken from the item for intersections in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. The conditions of the contracts shall be that the contractors shall collect the cost of paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said streets in good repair for five years after the paving is finished: *Provided*, That said streets shall be first dedicated or properly opened, and that the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for paving said streets and award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, and that the owners of property fronting on said streets shall not be charged more than the contract price.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 87.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in certain streets," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), H. Edgar Barnes, J. H. Shaw, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelson, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers in A, Aikens, Albanus, Allman, American, Anderson, Apsley, Arch, Ashdale, Atlantie, B, Baneroft, Beaumont, Beechwood, Benezet, Berkley, Berks, Beulah, Blavis, Brad-dock, Bristol, Broad, Camae, Carlisle, Catharine, Chan-celler, Chew, Cliveden, Crispin, Cornwall, Coulter, Cros-key, Daggett, Dakota, Delphine, Dunlap, Earlham, Ed-mund, Ella, Emily, Euclid, Eighth, Eleventh, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Felton, Fernon, Franklin, Front, Fourth, Forty-ninth, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth, Galloway, Gar-field, Gaul, Gerry, Gratz, Greenwich, Gross, Hadding-ton, Haines, Hamilton, Hermit, Hilton, Hicks, Hope, Houghton, Hutchinson, Ionic, I, Irving, Iseminger, Janney, Jefferson, Juniper, Keim, Kenyon, Lawrence, Lee, Litchfield, Loudon, Ludlow, Luray, Luzerne, Mc-Clellan, Marshall, Marvine, Melon, Mentor, Merex, Mifflin, Mildred, Mitchell, Monmouth, Montgomery, Morris, Morse, Mountain, Myrtlewood, Ninth, Nor-wood, Olive, Palethorp, Peehin, Penn, Pentridge, Philip, Pickwick, Pike, Plum, Poplar, Porter, Pratt, Prentice, Price, Princeton, Rector, Regent, Reno, Ro-main, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sartain, Sedgwick, Simpson, Shawnee, Sheridan, Smedley, Stewart, Sydenham, Sec-ond, Sixth, Seventh, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Sixtieth, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-eighth, Tower, Thir-teenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-second, Vaux, Willard, Warnock, Weikel, Wilt, Wingohocking, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Yocum streets; Abington, Abbotsford, Arlington, The Boulevard, Cemetery, Chelten, Chester, Duncannon, Eastburn, Florence, Germantown, Godfrey, Grange, Kensington, Lancaster, McKean, Malvern, Monastery, Mt. Pleasant, Nedro, Ogontz, Oregon, Osage, Park, Point Breeze, Roxborough, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Snyder, Stenton, Susque-hanna, Torresdale, Warrington, Wissahickon, Wyoming

avenues; East School House, Hartwell, Indian Queen. Thorp's, Walnut, Washington lanes; McKean and University Parkways; Fernhill and Westford roads; Er-ringer Place and Asbury Terrace.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in A street, from Luray to Courtland street; Aikens street, from Upland street to Greenway avenue; Albanus street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue; Allman street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street; American street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Anderson street, from Cresheim Valley Drive to Graver's lane; Apsley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Arch street, from Sixty-third to Gross street; Ashdale street, from Front to Mascher street; Atlantic street, from Rand to I street; B street, from Somerville to Maple avenue; Bambrey street, from Morris to Moore street; Baneroft street, from Morris to Moore street; Beaumont street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Beechwood street, from Cheltenham to Wyncote avenue and from Sixty-fifth avenue to Stenton avenue; Benezet street, from Cresheim Valley Drive to Wyndmoor street; Berkley street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Berks street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Beulah street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Blavis street, from Old York road to Broad street; Braddock street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Broad street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Broad street (east side), from Sixty-eighth avenue to summit south of Sixty-eighth avenue and from Old York road to Elbow lane; Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Camac street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Carlisle street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Catharine street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Chew street, from Thirteenth to Sydenham street; Cliveden street, from summit northeast of Park Line Drive to Park Line Drive; Crispin street, west side (west side only to be assessed), from Rhawn to Fuller street; Cornwall street, from Emerald to Braddock street;

Coulter street, from Vaux street to a point two hundred and fifty-three feet, two and one-half inches north-eastwardly from Henry street; Croskey street, from Indiana to Cambria street; Daggett street, from Lebanon to Malvern avenue and from Lansdowne to Lebanon avenue; Dakota street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Delphine street, from Third to Fifth street; Dunlap street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Earlham street, from Archer to Laurens street; Edmund street, from Foust to Vankirk street; Ella street, from Somerville avenue to Tabor road; Emily street, from Front to Second street; Euclid street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Eighth street, from The Boulevard to Lindley avenue; Eleventh street, from Spring Garden street to Fairmount avenue; Eighteenth street (east side), from Shunk street to south side of Oregon avenue; Fairhill street, from Olney to Grange avenue; Felton street, from Catharine street to Cedar avenue; Fernon street, from Front to Second street; Franklin street, from Loudon street to Lindley avenue and from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Front street, from Courtland street to summit south of Courtland street and from Loudon street to Second street pike; Fourth street, from Porter to Shunk street; Fifteenth street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Forty-ninth street, from Reno to Aspen street; Fifty-third street, from Warrington to Willows avenue; Fifty-fourth street (west side), from Lebanon avenue to Upland Way; Fifty-sixth street, from Lebanon avenue to Upland Way; Fifty-seventh street, from Jefferson to Haddington street; Fifty-ninth street, from Nassau street to Lancaster avenue and from Walnut to Spruce street; Galloway street, from Porter to Shunk street; Garfield street, from Greene street to eleven-foot wide alley outlet on Seymour street; Gaul street, from Tioga to Venango street; Gerry street, from Sixty-sixth avenue to Eastburn avenue; Gratz street, from Medary avenue to a point about three hundred and seventy feet north of Medary avenue; Greenwich street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-fourth street; Gross street, from Race to Arch street and on the line of Gross street through Cobb's Creek Park to the Cobb's Creek intercepting sewer;

Haddington street, from Prentice to Sixty-fourth street and from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Haines street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Hamilton street, from Fifth to Randolph street; Hermit street, from Mitchell street to Ridge avenue; Hilton street, from E to F street; Hicks street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Hope street, from Indiana to Clearfield street; Houghton street, from Rector street to Roxborough avenue and from Jamestown to Rector street, and in Rector street, from Houghton street to summit northeast of Ridge avenue; Hutchinson street, from Courtland to Rockland street; I street, from Tioga to Ontario street; Ionic street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street; Irving street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Iseminger street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Janney street, from Ann to Cambria street; Jefferson street, from Daggett street to Wynnewood road; Juniper street, from Passyunk avenue to Mifflin street; Keim street, from Hilton to Westmoreland street; Kenyon street, from School House lane to Armat street; Lawrence street, from Butler to Pike street; Lee street, from Ritner to Porter street; Litchfield street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Loudon street, from Mascher to Palethorp street, from Second to Third street, from Seventh to Marshall street and from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue; Ludlow street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Luray street, from A street to Rising Sun avenue; Luzerne street, from Seventeenth street to Germantown avenue and from Hunting Park avenue to Seventeenth street; McClellan street, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street and from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Marvine street, from Norris to Diamond street, from Clarkson street to Somerville avenue and from Wingohocking to Courtland street; Melon street, from Seventeenth to Bouvier street; Mentor street, from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue and from Second to Third street; Mercy street, from Water to Second street; Mifflin street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street; Mildred street, from Wolf to Jackson street

and from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Mitchell street, from Ridge avenue to Seville street; Monmouth street, from Tulip to Janney street; Montgomery street, from Richmond to Beach street and from Fifty-fourth street to Upland Way; Morris street, from Berkley to West Logan street; Morse street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Mountain street, from Front to Hancock street and from Tenth to Eleventh street; Myrtlewood street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Ninth street, from Lindley avenue to Fisher's avenue; Norwood street, from Chelten to Sixty-fifth avenue north; Olive street, from New Market to Hancock street; Palethorp street, from The Boulevard to Loudon street and from Clearfield to Lippincott street; Pechin street, from Leverington avenue to Ripka street; Penn street, from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street; Pentridge street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street; Philip street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Pickwick street, from Salmon to Thompson street; Pike street, from Lawrence to Fifth street and from Sixteenth to Eighteenth street; Plum street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Poplar street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Porter street, from Front to Lee street; Pratt street, from Duffield to Charles street; Prentice street, from Lansdowne to Lebanon avenue; Price street, from Chew to Sprague street; Princeton street, from Frankford avenue to Walker street and from Ditman to Walker street; Rector street, from Ridge avenue to summit southwest of Houghton street; Regent street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street; Reno street, from Forty-third to Forty-fourth street; Romain street (extended) over private property from Deal street to Frankford creek; Ruscomb street, from Front street to Rising Sun avenue, from C to Tacony street, from Fifth to Marshall street and from Seventh to Ninth street; Salmon street, from Pickwick to Venango street; Sartain street, from Shunk to Johnston street; Sedgwick street, from Greene to McCallum street and from Lincoln avenue to Emilen street; Simpson street, from Lansdowne to Malvern avenue; Shawnee street, from Abington avenue to Hartwell lane; Sheridan street, from Oregon avenue

to Johnston street; Smedley street, from Pike to Luzerne street and from Rockland to Ruscomb street; Stewart street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Sydenham street, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth avenue; Second street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue and from Wyoming avenue to The Boulevard; Sixth street, from Annsbury street to The Boulevard and from Lindley to Duncannon avenue; Seventh street, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street and from Courtland street to Lindley avenue; Sixteenth street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street, from Pike to Luzerne street and from Sixty-eighth avenue to Haines street; Seventeenth street, from Pike to Luzerne street and from Rockland to Ruscomb street; Sixtieth street, from Jefferson street to Lancaster avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Lebanon to Malvern avenue and from Lansdowne to Lebanon avenue; Sixty-fifth street, from Lansdowne to Lebanon avenue and from Lebanon to Malvern avenue; Sixty-eighth street, from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Upland street and from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Cobb's Creek intercepting sewer; Tower street, from Grape street to Roxborough avenue; Thirteenth street, from north side of Oregon avenue to Johnston street and from Olney avenue to Grange street; Twenty-first street, from Nedro street to Kemble avenue and from Sixty-fifth avenue to Eastburn avenue; Twenty-second street, from Ritner to Porter street; Twenty-sixth street, from South to Bainbridge street; Twenty-eighth street, from Ellsworth to Alter street and from Snyder avenue to Moore street; Thirty-second street, from Tasker to Jackson street; Vaux street, from Bowman street to Indian Queen lane and from Coulter street to School House lane; Willard street, from Tampa to E street; Warnock street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street; Weikel street, from Ann to Monmouth street; Wilt street, from Belgrade street south to dead end; Wingohocking street, from Old York road to Broad street; Woodlawn street, from Anderson to Ardleigh street; Woodstock street, from Stenton to Sixty-sixth avenue; Yocum street, from Sixty-third to Gross street; Abington avenue, from Germantown to Lincoln avenue;

Abbotsford avenue, from McKean avenue to Morris street, and in Morris street, from Abbotsford avenue to Logan street, and in McKean avenue, from Abbotsford avenue to Clapier street; Arlington street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Boulevard (north side), from Seventh street to North Pennsylvania Railroad; Cemetery avenue, from Greenway avenue to Baltimore and Ohio Railroad; Chelten avenue (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Ogontz avenue to Garnet street; Chester avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street; Duncannon avenue, from Ninth to Tenth street; Eastburn avenue, from Wistar to Twenty-first street, and from Limekiln pike to Twenty-first street; Florence avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street; Germantown avenue, from Moreland to Southampton avenue; Godfrey avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Twentieth street and from Twenty-first street to Limekiln pike; Grange avenue, from Park avenue to Thirteenth street; Kensington avenue, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Lancaster avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-ninth street; Malvern avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Ardleigh street to Mt. Airy avenue; Monastery avenue, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street, from Freeland to Mitchell street and from Mitchell street to Manayunk avenue; Nedro avenue, from Old York road to Nineteenth street; Ogontz avenue (west side, west side only to be assessed), from Medary to Chelten avenue and from Church lane to Godfrey avenue; Ogontz avenue (east side, east side only to be assessed), from Church lane to Limekiln pike; Oregon avenue (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Eighteenth street about two hundred and twenty feet westward; Oregon avenue (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Thirteenth to Marvine street; Oregon avenue (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Darien to Sheridan street; Osage avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Park avenue, from Olney to Grange avenue; Point Breeze avenue, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street; Roxborough avenue, from Houghton street to Ridge avenue; Sixty-fifth avenue north, from Twenty-first to Wister street; Sixty-

sixth avenue north, from Wister to Twenty-first street; Sixty-eighth avenue north, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Sixty-ninth avenue north, from York road to Broad street; Snyder avenue, from Thirty-second street to Vare avenue; Vare avenue, from Snyder avenue to University Circle and in the northerly side of University Circle (northerly side only to be assessed), from Vare avenue east of said circle to Vare avenue west of said circle; Stenton avenue, from Twentieth street to Limekiln pike and from Sixty-fifth avenue north to Wister street; Susquehanna avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Torresdale avenue, from L street to Kensington avenue and from Kensington avenue to Frankford creek; Warrington avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Wissahickon avenue, from Hermit street to Lincoln drive; Wyncote avenue, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; Wyoming avenue, from Rising Sun avenue to Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, from elevation east of Second street to Fifth street and from Sixteenth street to Windrim avenue; East School House lane, from Kenyon to Market Square; Hartwell lane, from Roanoke street to a point about two hundred and sixty feet northeast of Navajo street; Indian Queen lane, from Scott's lane to Vaux street; Thorp's lane, from Twentieth to Wister street; Walnut lane, from Ridge avenue to Houghton street; Washington lane, from Morton street to end of present sewer at summit southwest of Ross street; McKean Parkway (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Twenty-fourth and Snyder avenue to Twenty-eighth street; McKean Parkway (north side, north side only to be assessed), from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; McKean Parkway (south side, south side only to be assessed), from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway; McKean Parkway (north side, north side only to be assessed), from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway; University Parkway (east side, east side only to be assessed), from Tasker street to McKean Parkway; University Parkway (west side, west side only to be assessed), from Tasker street to University Circle at Vare avenue; Fernhill road, from Berkley

street to Abbotsford road; Westford road, from Clarkson avenue to Tabor street; Erringer Place, from Manheim to Clapier street; Asbury Terrace, from Verbena street to Lakeside avenue.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Work shall advertise, according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above authorized, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of the said contracts that the contractors shall accept the sums assessed upon the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above the said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, shall be charged to any item for the construction of branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, That in all cases where the property on the lines of the sewers herein authorized is assessed at suburban rates the owners of property shall first file an agreement to pay the regular frontage charges: *Provided, further*, That the Department of Public Works is authorized to construct sewers in Anderson street, from Cresheim Valley Drive to Graver's lane; Benezet street, from Cresheim Valley Drive to Wyndmoor street; Crispin street, from Rhawn to Fuller street; and Mifflin street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street, without the assessment being made therefor, but that no permits shall be issued for connections with said sewers until the regular frontage charges shall first have been paid.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to pay for inspections, borings and expenses incidental to the work of constructing said branch sewers from the item for construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 88.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), H. Edgar Barnes, J. H. Shaw, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelson, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D’Autreehy, James E. Walsh.

An ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between
Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of Sixteenth street, between Sixty-seventh avenue north and Haines street.

APPENDIX No. 89.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the vacation of Old Second Street road, from the

south side of Porter street to the south side of Vollmer street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelson, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh, Geo. Mitchell.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the vacation of Old Second Street road, from the south side of Porter street to the south side of Vollmer street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) be authorized to vacate all that portion of Old Second Street road (fifty feet wide), between the south side of Porter street and the south side of Vollmer street.

APPENDIX No. 90.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the vacation of Grubtown road, from Fairhill street and Olney avenue to Fifth and Chew streets," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), H. Edgar Barnes, J. H. Shaw, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michael-

sen, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the vacation of Grubtown road, from Fairhill street and Olney avenue to Fifth and Chew streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to vacate Grubtown road, from Fairhill street and Olney avenue to Fifth and Chew streets.

APPENDIX No. 91.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the grade of the northeast curb of Frankford avenue, from Ruan street to a point two hundred and fifty feet northeast of Church street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelsen, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh, Geo. Mitchell.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the grade of the southeast curb of Frankford avenue, from Ruan street to a point about 250 feet northeast of Church street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the grade of the southeast curb of Frankford avenue, from Ruan street to a point about 250 feet northeast of Church street.

APPENDIX No. 92.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the grade of City avenue, from Golf road to Conshohocken avenue; and the lines and grades of Fiftieth street, from City avenue to Woodbine avenue, with the necessary revision of grades of streets adjacent thereto,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), H. Edgar Barnes, J. H. Shaw, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelson, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D’Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the grade of City avenue, from Golf road to Conshohocken avenue; and the lines and grades of Fiftieth street, from City avenue to Woodbine avenue, with the necessary revision of grades of streets adjacent thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the grades of City avenue, from Golf road to Conshohocken avenue; and the lines and grades of Fiftieth street, from City avenue to Woodbine avenue, with the necessary revision of grades of streets adjacent thereto.

APPENDIX No. 93.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Kirkbride’s Park, in the Twenty-fourth and Forty-fourth Wards,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), H. Edgar Barnes, J. H. Shaw, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelson, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D’Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To place upon the City plan Kirkbride’s Park, in the Twenty-fourth and Forty-fourth Wards.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works (Board of Surveyors) is hereby authorized and directed to place upon the City plan as a public park, under the name of Kirkbride's Park, all that certain tract of land, in the Twenty-fourth and Forty-fourth Wards, bounded on the north by Haverford street, on the east by Forty-second street and the rear line of Forty-second street lots, on the south by the rear line of Powelton avenue lots, Powelton avenue and Market street, and on the west by Forty-ninth street.

APPENDIX No. 94.

Philadelphia, June 15, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 152, bounded by Mount Moriah Cemetery, Cemetery avenue, Kingsessing avenue, Baltimore and Philadelphia Railroad, and Cobb's creek, and to place upon the City plan an addition to Cobb's Creek Park at the southeast corner of Sixty-fifth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The object of this proposed revision is to place upon the City plan a more direct thoroughfare leading into and connecting with the thoroughfares in Delaware County, and to place on the City plan an addition to Cobb's Creek Park. We return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 152, and to place upon the City plan an addition to Cobb's Creek Park at the southeast corner of Sixty-fifth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 152, bounded by Mount Moriah Cemetery, Cemetery avenue, Kingessing avenue, Baltimore and Philadelphia Railroad, and Cobb's creek, and to place upon the plan an addition to Cobb's Creek Park at the southeast corner of Sixty-fifth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway.

APPENDIX No. 95.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of bridges on lines of South street, Forty-ninth street, Ashburner street, Linden avenue, Convent lane, Fifth street, Harvey street, and Mount Airy avenue, and a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street, and Cobb's Creek Parkway (two bridges), and to authorize the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel; providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the

same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelsen, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh, Geo. Mitchell.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of bridges on lines of South street, Forty-ninth street, Ashburner street, Linden avenue, Convent lane, Fifth street, Harvey street, Mount Airy avenue, and a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street and Cobb's Creek Parkway (two bridges), and to authorize the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel; providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the construction of bridges, including the work appurtenant thereto, as follows: A bridge to replace the three river spans of the bridge on line of South street over the Schuylkill river; a bridge to replace the three westerly truss spans of the bridge on line of South street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad and adjacent property; a bridge on line of Forty-ninth street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad; a bridge on line of Ashburner street over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lessee of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company, shall join in the contract and pay three-tenths of the cost of the bridge, the grading of approaches and appurtenant work, and shall further save the City harm-

less from all damages that may be assessed by reason of the construction of the bridge, the grading of approaches and appurtenant work; a bridge on line of Linden avenue over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lessee of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company, shall join in the contract and pay four-tenths of the cost of the bridge, the grading of approaches and appurtenant work. and shall further save the City harmless from all damages that may be assessed by reason of the construction of the bridge, the grading of approaches and appurtenant work; a foot bridge on line of Convent lane over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lessee of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company, shall enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, that the said Companies, within six months from the date of approval of this ordinance, will acquire, open and dedicate to the City of Philadelphia, free from restriction and encumbrance, Torresdale avenue, one hundred feet wide, from Convent lane as now in use to the present northeasterly terminus of Torresdale avenue about one hundred and four feet northeast of Pearson avenue, or will save the City harmless from any damages that may be assessed by reason of the opening of said portion of Torresdale avenue by subsequent ordinance; that said Companies will grade Torresdale avenue to the established grade within said limits, and will macadamize a strip sixteen feet wide in the cartway of said Torresdale avenue within said limits; that said Companies will, at such times as they may be so ordered by ordinance of Councils, pay one-half of the cost of an under-grade bridge on line of Convent avenue, seventy feet wide under their tracks, not more than four in number, and the entire cost of the bridge required for any additional tracks, one-half of the cost of grading the approaches to said bridge and of macadamizing a strip sixteen feet wide in the cartway thereof, and one-half the cost of any land that may be required or any damages that may be assessed by reason of

the necessity for then reopening any portion of Convent lane that is legally open on the date of this ordinance, or by reason of the construction of said under-grade bridge, approaches or appurtenant work; and that said Companies will pay into the City Treasury one-half of any damages that may be assessed by reason of the construction of the foot-bridge and the temporary closing of Convent lane to vehicular travel, as provided for in this ordinance; a new bridge (superstructure only) on line of Fifth street over the Port Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; a foot-bridge on line of Harvey street under the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad and under Cresson street, with approaches, stairways and appurtenant work in and under Harvey street and Cresson street; a bridge on line of Mount Airy avenue over the Chestnut Hill Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway and over Sprague street: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company shall enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, that it will join in the contract and pay one-half of the cost of the bridge, the relocation of tracks, the grading and improving of approaches and appurtenant work, and that it will pay into the City Treasury one-half of any damages that may be assessed against the City by reason of the change of grade of streets or railroad tracks; a portion of the south approach of a bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street over the Schuylkill river, between Gray's Ferry avenue and University avenue, and two bridges on the line of Cobb's Creek Parkway over Cobb's creek.

SECT. 2. Upon the construction of the foot-bridge herein authorized on line of Convent lane over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, and upon the opening, grading and macadamizing of Torresdale avenue as herein provided for, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to close Convent lane to vehicular travel at the present grade crossing over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, and to keep it continually closed to vehicular travel until such future time as Councils shall by ordinance order it reopened to ve-

hicular travel by means of the construction of an under-grade bridge and the grading and improving of approaches, as provided for in Section 1 above.

SECT. 3. That the following sums be set aside in Item 195 (Loan) of the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), for new bridges, for the year 1916: For the bridges on line of South street over the Schuylkill river and over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad and adjacent property, four hundred thousand (400,000) dollars; for the bridge on line of Forty-ninth street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars; for the bridge on line of Ashburner street over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, sixty-one thousand (61,000) dollars; for the bridge on line of Linden avenue over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, forty-six thousand (46,000) dollars; for the foot-bridge on line of Convent lane over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, five thousand (5,000) dollars; for the bridge on line of Fifth street over the Port Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars; for the foot-bridge on line of Harvey street under the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad and under Cresson street, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; for the bridge on line of Mount Airy avenue over the Chestnut Hill Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway and over Sprague street, sixty-two thousand (62,000) dollars; for the portion of the approach of the bridge on line of Thirty-fourth street, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars; and two bridges on the line of Cobb's Creek Parkway over Cobb's creek, twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in the event of any of the said bridges costing less than the sum herein set aside for its construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to use the balance, or any part thereof, for the completion of any of the bridges named herein for which the sum set aside is insufficient.

SECT. 4. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award contracts, as provided in existing ordinances and laws, for the construction of said bridges and work appurtenant thereto in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), and is also authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and to pay all expenses for salaries, soundings, inspection, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for out of the appropriation for the cost of said bridges, and is authorized to join in contract with any persons or corporations in the construction of the said bridges for which said persons or corporations shall contribute a portion of the cost.

SECT. 5. The Mayor of the City of Philadelphia is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the construction of the said bridges or any of the work that is authorized by this ordinance.

SECT. 6. It is hereby understood and agreed that neither the purpose nor intent, nor the obligations of this ordinance or of the contracts authorized therein, if and when approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is such as to impair or in anywise affect the exercise by said Commission of any of the powers vested in it by the Public Service Company Law, approved July 26, 1913.

APPENDIX No. 96.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to

place on the City plan American, Atlantic, Beaumont, Beulah, Brill, Carlisle, Chew, Clearview, Connaroe, Ella, Fifteenth, Hicks, Litchfield, Mildred and Rodman streets, Abbotsford, Verree and Worthington roads," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelsen, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh, George Mitchell.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan American, Atlantic, Beaumont, Beulah, Brill, Carlisle, Chew, Clearview, Connaroe, Ella, Fifteenth, Hicks, Litchfield, Mildred and Rodman streets, Warminster avenue, Abbotsford, Verree and Worthington roads.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to place on the City plan American street, of the width of forty feet, from Tabor street to Somerville avenue; Atlantic street, of the width of thirty feet, from Seventh street west to dead end; Beaumont street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Beulah street, of the width of forty feet, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Brill street, from Penn to Saul street; Chew street, of the width of sixty-six feet, from Broad to Sixteenth street; Carlisle street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Clearview street, of the width of fifty feet, from Meehan to Pleasant street; Connaroe street, of the width of fifty feet, from Lawnton to Martin street; Ella street, of the width of forty feet, from Loudon to Mentor street; Fifteenth street, of the width of sixty feet, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Hicks street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Olney

avenue to Chew street; Litchfield street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Mildred street, of the width of forty feet, from Oregon avenue to Johnston street; Rodman street, of the width of ten feet, from Fifteenth street eastward about 170 feet to the dead end thereof; Warminster avenue, of the width of eight feet, more or less, from Germantown avenue to Cadwallader street; Abbotsford road, of the width of forty-five feet, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue; Verree road, of the width of one hundred and eight feet, from Bustleton avenue to Byberry road; and Worthington road, of the width of one hundred and eight feet, from Byberry road to Southampton road.

Provided, That before said streets, except Atlantic, Beulah, Chew, Conarroe, Mildred, and Rodman streets, and Abbotsford, Verree and Worthington roads, shall be placed upon the City plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the date of the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades; and before said Atlantic and Rodman streets and Warminster avenue shall be placed upon the City plan satisfactory evidence shall be produced that they have been opened and in public use for a period of twenty-one years.

That before said Beulah and Mildred streets shall be placed upon the City plan Mark Haller shall dedicate so much of the land in the bed of these streets as is owned by him; and that before said Chew street shall be placed upon the City plan John H. McClatchy and Owen Wister shall dedicate so much of the land in the bed of the street as is owned by them; and before said Conarroe street is placed on the City plan John J. Sloan, Edward E. Davis and Deborah L. Cornman shall first dedicate so much as they own of said Conarroe street for public use within one year of the date of the passage of this ordinance; and that be-

fore said Abbotsford road shall be placed upon the City plan the owners of property within the lines thereof, except Lida M. Howard-Smith and Asa W. and Laura L. Vandegrift shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate as much of the bed of such Abbotsford road, on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, as is owned by them.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 97.

Philadelphia, July 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in B street, Eleventh street, Everett street, Fifth street, Fifty-first street, intercepting sewer through Fortieth Ward, Indian Creek storm sewer, Mifflin street, Pratt street, Rock Run in Godfrey avenue, Rock Run in Ashdale street, Sanger street, Sanger street outlet, Sixty-seventh street, Twenty-ninth street relief, Wingohocking sewer, Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, L. C. Michaelsen, John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, John J. Conroy, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh, Geo. Mitchell.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the construction of main sewers in B street, Eleventh street, Everett street, Fifth street, Fifty-first street, intercepting sewer through Fortieth Ward, Indian Creek storm sewer, Mifflin street, Pratt street, Rock Run in Godfrey avenue, Rock Run in Ashdale street, Sanger street, Sanger street outlet, Walker street, Knorr street, Twenty-ninth street relief, Wingohocking sewer, Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of the following main sewers: B street, from Rosehill street to Erie avenue and in Erie avenue, from B street to Philadelphia and Bustleton Railroad; Eleventh street, from Tabor street to Olney avenue; Everett street, from The Boulevard to Magee street; Fifth street, from Olney avenue to Chew street; in Chew street, from Fifth street to Lawrence street; in Lawrence street, from Chew street to Grange street, and in Grange street, from Lawrence street to Fourth street; Fifty-first street, from Grays avenue to Schuylkill river; intercepting sewer through the low lands of the Fortieth ward, the alignment to be subject to future legislation; Indian Creek storm sewer in Sixty-ninth street, from south of Girard avenue to Malvern avenue; Mifflin street, from Schnylkill river to Thirty-second street; Pratt street, from Saul street to Loretto street; Rock Run sewer in Godfrey avenue, from Tenth street to Medary avenue, in Medary avenue, from Godfrey avenue to Old York road, and in Old York road, from Medary avenue to Chelten avenue; Rock Run sewer in Ashdale street, from the present sewer west of Front street to Fisher avenue; Sanger street, from Tacony street to Tulip street, and in Tulip street, from Sanger street to Bridge street; Sanger street outlet, from the present terminus

southeast of Richmond street to Delaware river; Walker street, from terminus of present sewer southwest of Cottman street to Cottman street; Knorr street, from Algard street to Charles street, and in Charles street, from Knorr street to Longshore street; Twenty-ninth street relief sewer, from Pennsylvania avenue to Master street; Wingo-hocking sewer in Crittenden street, from Haines street to Mansfield avenue, and in Mansfield avenue, from Crittenden street to Stenton avenue; Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer through Fairmount Park and private property, from the present terminus northwest of Hartwell lane to Rex avenue; Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer through Fairmount Park, from the present terminus southeast of Walnut lane to Gorgas lane; Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer in former line of Stokely street, from Bowman street to Queen street.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances, and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the construction of said sewers shall be charged to Item 190 (Loan), for the construction of main sewers, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewers authorized by this ordinance where the same are built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full city rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties on the line of said sewers until the regular frontage charges shall have been paid. And the following sums are hereby set aside for the construction of the main sewers herein authorized: B street, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars; Eleventh street, five thousand (5,000) dollars; Everett street, seventy thousand (70,000) dollars; Fifth street, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; Fifty-first street, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; intercepting sewer through low lands of Fortieth Ward, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Indian Creek storm sewer, seventy-

five thousand (75,000) dollars; Mifflin street, seventy thousand (70,000) dollars; Pratt street, seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars; Rock Run sewer in Godfrey avenue, eighty thousand (80,000) dollars; Rock Run sewer in Ashdale street, eighty thousand (80,000) dollars; Sanger street, from Tacony street to Tulip street, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Sanger street outlet, from southeast of Richmond street to Delaware river, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; Walker street, five thousand (5,000) dollars; Knorr street, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; Twenty-ninth street, fifty-five thousand (55,000) dollars; Wingohocking sewer, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Wissahickon high level intercepting sewer, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Wissahickon low level intercepting sewer, eighty thousand (80,000) dollars; Wissahickon high level cut-off sewer, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in the event of any of the aforesaid sewers costing less than the sum set aside for its construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to use any balance of the foregoing amounts, or any part thereof, for the completion of any of the main sewers herein named for which the sums set aside are insufficient: *Provided also*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation and expenses incidental to the work from the aforesaid item.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the construction of any of the herein authorized sewers through private property.

APPENDIX No. 98.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Mayor to appoint additional members on the Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in the different districts of Philadelphia.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint one representative each from the Chamber of Commerce and the Art Jury on the Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in the different districts of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 99.

RESOLUTION

Accepting the challenge of the Councils of the City of Baltimore to a series of games of baseball, and authorizing the appointment of a Joint Committee to make the necessary arrangements.

WHEREAS, The Councils of the City of Baltimore have sent to the Councils of our City a communication challenging our Honorable Bodies to a series of games of baseball; be it therefore

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the challenge of the Councils of the City of Baltimore be accepted, and that a Special Committee of five members from each branch of Councils be appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the contests.

APPENDIX No. 100.

Philadelphia, July 10, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the remodelling of and the construction of additions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital,” respectfully report that they have considered carefully the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Elias Abrams, William J. McCloskey, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, Robert Smith, Wm. C. Williams, Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Charles J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, George D’Autrechy, Wm. J. Crawford.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the remodelling of and the construction of additions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That out of the eleven million three hundred thousand (11,300,000) dollar loan, approved September 24, 1914, there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities

(Bureau of Charities), Item 161, for the remodelling of and the construction of additions to a tuberculosis pavilion for the Philadelphia General Hospital, the sum of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 101.

Philadelphia, July 10, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any provisions of this ordinance,’ approved the twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word ‘Callowhill’ and inserting in lieu thereof the words ‘Fairmount avenue,’” respectfully report that they have considered carefully the same and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Elias Abrams, William J. McCloskey, Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. C. Williams, John J. McKinley, Jr., Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Charles J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, T. J. McCarthy, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,” approved the

twenty-sixth day of July, 1913, by striking out the word "Callowhill" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Fairmount avenue."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the use of railroad tracks on Delaware avenue, between Callowhill and Christian streets, in the City of Philadelphia, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance," approved the twenty-sixth day of July, A. D. 1913, be, and the same is hereby amended, by striking out the word "Callowhill" wherever it appears in said ordinance, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Fairmount avenue," so that said ordinance shall read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it shall not be lawful to cause or permit any car or cars of any description to stand on any part of any track or tracks, sidings or turn-outs on Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Christian street, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M., except where a locomotive may be coupled to a train for the purpose of removing or delivering a car or cars to or from a siding or turnout, in which case it shall be lawful to uncouple the locomotive from the train and allow the car or cars to remain standing on the track for such time as may be necessary for the prompt transaction of such business.

SECT. 2. Free passage across street crossings on said Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Christian street, for the full width of such intersecting streets, must be maintained at all times for the use of pedestrians and vehicular traffic, except at such times as a locomotive may be engaged in the operation of shifting cars or attached to a train actually moving across such streets, in which case such crossings shall not be blocked for a period of time greater than five (5) minutes.

SECT. 3. It shall be unlawful to obstruct or prevent the use of tracks by locomotives, freight cars, or moving

trains of any description on Delaware avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Christian street, by any person or persons standing or walking, or by placing freight, merchandise, or material, teams, automobiles, drays or vehicles, on or along such tracks, or in any way obstructing or preventing locomotives and moving trains from using such tracks in a proper manner.

SECT. 4. Any person or persons, corporation or corporations, violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a penalty of twenty-five (25) dollars for each and every offence, to be collected as like penalties are now by law recoverable.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 102.

Philadelphia, July 10, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance,” respectfully report that they have considered carefully the same, and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Elias Abrams, William J. McCloskey, Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. C. Williams, John J. McKinley, Jr., Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Charles J. McKinney, William H. Quigley, T. J. McCarthy, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To effect uniformity in numbering piers and wharves along the Delaware river and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to rearrange and revise the numbers on piers and wharves located along the west side of the Delaware river front, between Poquessing Creek on the north and Fort Mifflin on the south, and hereafter, whenever necessary, to furnish each owner or occupant of any pier or wharf situate within the district above mentioned with a written copy of the correct number to which such pier or wharf is entitled, and after such notice shall have been served, the said property shall be designated and known by such number on the books and accounts of the several Departments, and each owner shall, within thirty days after such notice, cause a painted, carved or cast numeral of such number, of a minimum height of two feet, to be placed in a conspicuous place on both the outshore and inshore ends of said piers, in a permanent and durable manner.

SECT. 2. Upon the failure or neglect of any owner to comply with the requirements of the first section of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, and he is hereby authorized, to enter upon the premises and furnish and place such number in front of the premises in question, in accordance with Section 1 of this ordinance, and upon the completion of the same, it shall be his duty to assess such cost and expense against the property on which the work was done in the name of the registered owner or owners thereof; and the said Director shall then cause bills for said work, with said cost and expense therein, to be made out in duplicate against such property, a copy of which shall be served upon the registered owner or owners of

such property, or in case he or they cannot be found, the same shall be left upon the premises, and if it is not paid within thirty days after the service thereof upon the owner or owners, or upon the property as aforesaid, a lien therefor may be filed in the proper Court against the respective property and the registered owner or owners thereof in the name of the City.

SECT. 3. The Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, in making out the proper numbers of said piers and wharves, shall be governed as follows:

The initial or starting point shall be Market street, on the Delaware river—odd numbers extending from there north to Poquessing Creek, and even numbers extending from the initial point south to Fort Mifflin.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 103.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct a bridge over and across Allegheny avenue, east of Nineteenth street,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thos. S. T. Mackleer, George H. Kelley, George E. Dorwart, Richard D. Burke, William Boal, Wm. A. Miller, John N. Costello, C. Walter Glasgow, David G. Frankenfield, Frank J. Ryan, William P. Siebert, William C. Williams, John J. McKinley, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct a bridge over and across Allegheny avenue, east of Nineteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the Electric Storage Battery Company to construct an enclosed plate girder bridge, encased in concrete, with columns at the curb lines, over and across Allegheny avenue, at a point approximately two hundred and forty-three feet east of Nineteenth street, for the purpose of connecting their buildings, situate on the north and south sides of Allegheny avenue, to be used exclusively in the conduct of their own business. The said bridge not to exceed twelve feet in width inside dimensions, and to have a clearance of at least fourteen feet above the established curb elevation, and shall be constructed in accordance with plans approved by, and under the supervision of, the Department of Public Works and the Art Jury. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, said Electric Storage Battery Company shall first enter into an agreement; satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance, and that no lettering or inscription of any kind shall be placed on said bridge. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the bridge removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 104.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to

permit the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain steam and compressed air pipes under and across Wissahickon avenue, north of Bristol street," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Thos. S. T. Mackleer, George H. Kelley, George E. Dorwart, Richard D. Burke, William Boal, Wm. A. Miller, John N. Costello, C. Walter Glasgow, David G. Frankenfield, Frank J. Ryan, William P. Siegert, William C. Williams, John J. McKinley, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain steam and compressed air pipes under and across Wissahickon avenue, north of Bristol street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be granted to the Midvale Steel Company to construct and maintain pipes or conduits for steam and compressed air purposes under and across Wissahickon avenue, at a point about five feet north of Bristol street, to connect their main works on the east side of Wissahickon avenue with the new artillery machine shop now being erected on the westerly side of Wissahickon avenue. Said pipe shall be used exclusively in the work of said Midvale Steel Company and shall be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Departments of Public Works and Public Safety, and so as not to interfere with any municipal or other structure in said street. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance the said Midvale Steel Company shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from any damages by reason of the laying and maintenance of said pipes, and agreeing to remove the same and restore the street to its present condition upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 105.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise a portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable land damages will amount to ten thousand (10,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), John L. Dougherty, Wm. Boal, Daniel Cahill, Henry J. Klos, George H. Kelley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes, L. C. Michaelsen, Harry Keene, Bernard J. McGuigan, George D’Autreehy, John J. Conroy.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works, Board of Surveyors, be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Terrace street, Jamestown street, Tower street and Roxborough avenue, and to place on the City plan such open and parking places as may be necessary to complete the plan.

APPENDIX No. 106.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the construction of main sewers in Bigler street and Packer street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. Boal, Daniel Cahill, John J. Conroy, Wm. H. Cross, George D’Autrechy, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Henry Klos, Bernard McGuigan, George Mitchell, Fred. Schwarz, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the construction of main sewers in Bigler street and Packer street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of the following main sewers: Bigler street, from the Delaware river to Front street; Pollock (formerly Packer) street, from the present sewer, near Thirtieth street, to Twenty-fourth street; in Twenty-fourth street, from Pollock street to Packer street; in Packer street, from Twenty-fourth street to Colorado street; and in Moyamensing avenue, from Packer street to Colorado street.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances, and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the

construction of said sewers shall be charged to Item 19 (loan), for the construction of main sewers in Bigler and Packer streets, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewers authorized by this ordinance where the same are built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full City rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties on the line of said sewers until the regular frontage charges shall have been paid. And the following sums are hereby set aside for the construction of the main sewers herein authorized: Bigler street, two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars; Packer street, two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars:

Provided, That in the event of either of the aforesaid sewers costing less than the sum set aside for its construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to use any balance of the foregoing amounts, or any part thereof, for the completion of the other main sewer herein named for which the sum set aside is insufficient: *Provided also*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation and expenses incidental to the work from the aforesaid item.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the construction of either of the herein authorized sewers through private property.

APPENDIX No. 107.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance au-

thorizing the continuation of the Cobbs creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street and connections thereto," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. Boal, Daniel Cahill, John J. Conroy, Wm. H. Cross, George D'Autrechy, Wm J. Harrington, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Henry Klos, Bernard McGuigan, George Mitchell, Fred. Schwarz, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the continuation of the Cobbs creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street and connections thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized, to enter into a contract for the continuation of the Cobbs creek intercepting sewer system in Sixty-ninth street, from the present sewer near Girard avenue to Malvern avenue, and the necessary connections thereto from present sewers in Lansdowne avenue, Lebanon avenue and Malvern avenue.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the construction of said sewer shall be charged to Item 193 (loan), for the continuation of the Cobbs creek intercepting sewer system, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewers authorized by this ordinance where the same are built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full City rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties along the line of said sewers until the regu-

lar frontage charges shall have been paid. And the sum of thirty thousand (30,000) dollars is hereby set aside for the construction of the sewers herein authorized: *Provided*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation and expenses incidental to the work, from the aforesaid item.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the construction of the herein authorized sewers through private property.

APPENDIX No. 108.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a main sewer from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), H. Edgar Barnes, Wm. Boal, Daniel Cahill, John J. Conroy, Wm. H. Cross, George D’Autrechy, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Henry Klos, Bernard McGuigan, George Mitchell, Fred. Schwarz, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the

Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, from Balfour street to Aramingo avenue.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the construction of the said sewer shall be charged to Item 192 (loan), for the construction of a main sewer in Venango street, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewer authorized by this ordinance where the same is built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full City rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties on the line of said sewer until the regular frontage charges shall have been paid. And the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars is hereby set aside for the construction of the sewer herein authorized: *Provided*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation, and expenses incidental to the work from the aforesaid item.

APPENDIX No. 109.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against Item 62 (loan), for the additional work for the improvement of Logan Square and the improvement of Franklin Square, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, By an ordinance of Councils, approved May 22, 1916, there was appropriated out of Item 160 (loan) to improve Logan Square not to exceed four thousand (4,000) dollars, and Franklin Square not to exceed four thousand (4,000) dollars. On the receipt of the bids it was found that the work could not be satisfactorily done for less than seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars in each instance; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) be, and is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against Item 62 (loan) for the sum of three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars for the additional work required to improve Logan Square, and the sum of three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars for additional work for Franklin Square, making a total of seven thousand (7,000) dollars additional to be charged against Item 62 (loan).

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 110.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of the Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings, situated on Independence Square, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, The present condition of Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings, situated on Independence Square, makes it imperative that they be restored to their original condition;

AND WHEREAS, The Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, has offered its services to the City gratuitously for the direction of the said restoration work, provided it is reimbursed by the City for the expenses incurred in the drafting of plans and specifications for said restoration; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor of the City be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Philadelphia Chapter, American Institute of Architects, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the restoration of Old City Hall and State House Row of Buildings, situated on Independence Square.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 111.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to pay one-half of the expense of rebuilding wall in front of the United States Arsenal on Bridge street, between the west gate and bridge over Frankford creek, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, The United States Government proposes to make extensive repairs to sidewalk and curb on Bridge street in front of the property occupied by the United States Arsenal, as well as the continuation of the sidewalk and curb on Tacony street;

AND WHEREAS, The United States Government proposes to dedicate to the City sufficient land to insure a sidewalk ten (10) feet wide for the whole distance on Bridge street, between the west gate and bridge over Frankford creek;

AND WHEREAS, It is necessary to rebuild existing wall on Bridge street, between the west gate and bridge over Frankford creek;

AND WHEREAS, The United States Government is willing to pay one-half of the expense of rebuilding this wall, provided the City bears the other half, the estimate of cost of which expense is three thousand (3,000) dollars; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in view of the benefits to be received by the City by reason of this improvement and the donation of land, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the United States Government for one-half of the expense of rebuilding said wall, the cost thereof to be taken from any appropriation for any grading item which has been made, or may hereafter be made, to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): *Provided, however*, That the portion to be borne by the City shall not exceed one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 112.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the drawing and countersigning of warrants in payment of salaries of certain employees now in the service of the United States Government, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, By ordinance approved June 30, 1916, leave of absence, with pay, was granted to the City or County employees paid from the City Treasury while absent in the service of the United States Government; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the heads of Departments, Bureaus and County officers are hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants against the annual appropriations for the payment of salaries or wages of men on leave of absence who are in the service of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or the United States Government.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 113.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the purchase of an automobile for the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of City Transit be, and he is hereby authorized to purchase an automobile, the cost of which shall not exceed five hundred (500) dollars, and to pay for the same out of Item 180 (loan) of appropriation to the Department of City Transit by ordinance approved July 2, 1915.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 114.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of City Property to replace the automobile used by him by making an exchange of said automobile in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief of the Bureau of City Property be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to replace the present automobile used by him by making an exchange of said automobile in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile authorized by ordinance of Councils of July 5, 1916.

APPENDIX No. 115.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Commission to consider and recommend regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in different districts of Philadelphia.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint as members of a Commission, in accordance with the Act of Assembly approved May 11, 1915, the following: The Director of the Department of Public Works, the Director of the Department of Public Safety, the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, the President of the Park Commission, a member of the Board of Surveyors, a member of the Art Jury, and one representative of each of these bodies: the Committee on Comprehensive Plans, Philadelphia Real Estate Board, Philadelphia Operative Builders' Association, Philadelphia Chapter of American Institute of Architects, Philadelphia Housing Commission and the Chamber of Commerce, to prepare a code of regulations and legislation concerning the location, size and use of buildings in different parts of the City, and to report the same to Councils for further action.

APPENDIX No. 116.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street."

APPENDIX No. 117.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation."

APPENDIX No. 118.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with the request in your resolution of even date, I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 225, entitled:

“An Ordinance to condemn and place upon the City plan a certain plot of ground in the Thirty-ninth Ward, bounded by Marvine street, Johnston street, Oregon avenue and Tenth street, for park and playground purposes, for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, and to place the same under the custody and control of the Board of Recreation.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 119.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, July 20, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with the request in your resolution of even date, I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 83, entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Lefevre street, from Richmond to Bath street.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 120.

Philadelphia, July 10, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company, et al., trustees, et al., to convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of an extension of Fairmount Park in the Twenty-second Ward, and the beds of certain streets and avenues adjacent thereto, upon the terms and conditions contained in the said offer; directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed deeds and other instruments in writing to carry such offer into effect; to authorize the opening of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, Sedgwick and Ellet streets; to appropriate land for extensions of Fairmount Park; to authorize the construction of sewers, the laying of water pipe, the curbing and paving of sidewalks and the paving of roadways of the following streets: North Mount Pleasant road, South Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue, Wayne avenue, Ellet street and Sedgwick street; and to authorize the entering of security by the Mayor,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Charles J. McKinney, Chas. Seger, T. J. McCarthy, Simon Walter, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., E. Buchholz, Elias Abrams, George D'Autreehy, Morris E. Conn, William H. Quigley, Bernard J. McGuigan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company, et al., trustees, et al., to convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within

the boundaries of an extension of Fairmount Park in the Twenty-second Ward, and the beds of certain streets and avenues adjacent thereto, upon the terms and conditions contained in said offer; directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed deeds and other instruments in writing to carry such offer into effect; to authorize the opening of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, Sedgwick and Ellet streets; to appropriate land for extensions of Fairmount Park; to authorize the construction of sewers, the laying of water pipe, the curbing and paving of sidewalks and the paving of roadways of the following streets: North Mount Pleasant road, South Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue, Wayne avenue, Ellet street and Sedgwick street; and to authorize the entering of security by the Mayor.

WHEREAS, The respective heirs and devisees of James S. Mason and of George W. Carpenter have offered to convey unto the City of Philadelphia certain tracts of land for an extension of Fairmount Park and the beds of certain streets in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the terms and conditions set forth in the following letter directed to the Mayor:

Philadelphia, March 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

The undersigned beg leave to submit to your consideration the following letter written by them as the owners of certain tracts of land in the Twenty-second Ward of the City, one of them bounded by Allen lane, Wissahickon avenue, Greene and Carpenter streets, and the other bounded by Greene street, Mount Airy avenue, McCallum street and Ellet street.

The Bureau of Surveys, under authority of ordinances of Councils, approved April 10, 1912, and December 29, 1913, has placed on the confirmed

plan of the City of Philadelphia, within the lines aforesaid, an extension of Fairmount Park, covering about twenty-one (21) acres, and the following streets have also been projected on said plan across the said properties: Wayne avenue, Sherman street, Mount Airy avenue, Sedgwick street, Ellet street and North and South Mount Pleasant roads.

The undersigned are desirous that the City shall, at an early date, at its expense, open and grade all of the said streets; and that the City shall do the original paving and all other street improvements, including the construction of sewers, curbs and sidewalks, laying water pipes, etc., of the roads surrounding the aforesaid Park extension, and the extension of North and South Mount Pleasant roads to McCallum street, except Wissahickon avenue, paying the cost thereof, except such part as is properly and usually chargeable against the abutting property of the undersigned, which part of said cost shall be borne by the undersigned, each of whom agrees to pay his or their respective pro rata shares; and the undersigned are willing, if the opening and grading of all the said streets are completed within one year and the other things above stipulated are completed within three years from the passage of an ordinance accepting this offer, in consideration thereof, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court where such may be necessary, to convey to the City of Philadelphia:

1. The parcel of about twenty-one (21) acres, comprising the said extension of Fairmount Park. (Part belonging to said owners.)

2. The beds, aggregating more than nineteen (19) acres, of the following streets on said plan:

- (a) Wayne avenue, from Carpenter street to Allen lane.

- (b) Mount Airy avenue, from McCallum street to Wissahickon avenue. (Part belonging to said owners.)

(c) Sherman street, from North Mount Pleasant road to Allens lane.

(d) North Mount Pleasant road, between McCallum street and Wissahickon avenue, South Mount Pleasant road, between McCallum street and Wayne avenue. (Part belonging to said owners.)

(e) Sedgwick street, from Sherman street to Wissahickon avenue.

(f) Ellet street, from property line southwest of Sherman street to Sedgwick street.

(g) Northeast side of Wissahickon avenue, between Carpenter street and Allens lane.

(h) Southwest side of Sherman street, from Carpenter street to Ellet street.

The title to the land included in the said extension of Fairmount Park, together with the beds of the streets aforesaid, shall be made by the undersigned immediately upon the due acceptance by the said City of the terms and conditions set forth in this letter, subject, however, to the definite condition subsequent, that unless the herein provided grading is substantially completed by the said City within one year from the passage of this ordinance, and the other things herein stipulated are substantially performed and completed within three years from the passage of this ordinance, and from the delivery of good and sufficient deeds, said land shall revert to and become the property of the said grantors respectively: *Provided*, That the City shall secure the legal opening of that portion of South Mount Pleasant road, from the property line of James S. Mason, et al., about sixty (60) feet southwest of Greene street, to the property line of Estate of George W. Carpenter, about three hundred (300) feet northeast of Greene street; also, the legal opening of that portion of Ellet street, from property line of the Estate of George W. Carpenter about one hundred and seventy-six (176) feet southwest of Sherman street to the northeast side of Sherman street; and

also the legal opening of Mount Airy avenue, from Greene to McCallum street; and shall also acquire for Park purposes the property needed to complete the extension of Fairmount Park as now upon the City plan lying between the northwest side of South Mount Pleasant road and the easterly and southerly boundary lines of the Mason and Carpenter properties respectively.

We respectfully request, if this offer is accepted, that proper ordinances be passed by the Select and Common Councils of the City accepting the proposition and authorizing the opening and improvement of the streets aforesaid.

Yours very truly,

HENRY S. PAUL.

RALPH GRAHAM WILSON.

RALPH GRAHAM WILSON.

GERMANTOWN TRUST COMPANY,

By WM. T. MURPHY, *President*,

Attest: H. N. PECHINS, *Secretary*,

Trustees under the will of Mary T. Mason Wilson,
dec'd.

GIRARD TRUST COMPANY,

By A. A. JACKSON, *Vice-President*,

Attest: S. H. NORRIS, *Secretary*,

MARY TAYLOR MASON,

Trustees under the will of Richard S. Mason, dec'd.

GIRARD TRUST COMPANY,

By A. A. JACKSON, *Vice-President*,

Attest: S. M. NORRIS, *Secretary*,

Trustee for Alys Withers Springman, under the will
of Eleanor G. Withers, dec'd.

PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY FOR INSURANCE ON LIVES
AND GRANTING ANNUITIES,

By C. S. W. PACKARD, *President*,

Attest: JESSE WILLIAMSON, 2D, *Secretary*,

A. S. WEILL,

Substituted trustees for Hanson L. Withers, Jr.,
under the will of Eleanor G. Withers, dec'd.

PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY FOR INSURANCE ON LIVES
AND GRANTING ANNUITIES,

By C. S. W. PACKARD, *President*,

Attest: JESSE WILLIAMSON, 2D, *Secretary*,

RALPH GRAHAM WILSON,

CHAS. DUBREE,

Trustees under the will of Elizabeth G. Clapp, dec'd.

PROVIDENT LIFE AND TRUST COMPANY OF PHILA-
DELPHIA,

By J. BARTON TOWNSEND, *Vice-President*,

Attest: WM. C. CRAIGE, *Asst. Trust Officer*

JAS. S. MASON, 3D,

Trustees under the will of A. Heywood Mason,
dec'd.

GERMANTOWN TRUST COMPANY,

By WM. T. MURPHY, *President*,

Attest: H. N. PECHINS, *Secretary*,

SYDNEY L. WRIGHT,

Trustees for Estate of George W. Carpenter, dec'd.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the said offer contained in the letter above referred to be, and the same is hereby accepted, subject to all the terms and conditions thereof.

SECT. 2. The City Solicitor be, and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed such deed or deeds or other instruments of writing as may be requisite or proper to carry into effect the said offer and this acceptance thereof.

SECT. 3. That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the following streets: Mount Airy avenue, between Greene street and McCallum street; Ellet street, from property line southwest of Sherman street to northeast side of Sherman street; South Mount Pleasant road, from property line about sixty (60) feet southwest of Greene street to property line about three hundred (300) feet northeast of Greene street, will pass, that, at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said streets will be required for public use.

SECT. 4. That two tracts or pieces of ground now upon the City plan and bounded and described as follows be appropriated as extensions of Fairmount Park: One of them beginning at the point of intersection of the southwest line of Greene street with the northwest line of South Mount Pleasant road and thence extending along the latter south forty-one degrees nineteen minutes fifty-four seconds west 43.944 feet to a point in line of land now or late of the Estate of James S. Mason, deceased; thence along the same north thirty three degrees four minutes one second west 84.295 feet to a point; thence still along the same north forty-one degrees forty-three minutes thirty-five seconds east 21.274 feet to a point in the southwest line of Greene street, and thence along the same south forty-eight degrees forty minutes six seconds east 81.043 feet to the place of beginning; the other of them beginning at the point of intersection of the northeast line of Greene street with the northwest line of South Mount Pleasant road, and thence extending along the former north forty-eight degrees forty minutes six seconds west 80.699 feet to a point in line of land now or late of the Estate of George W. Carpenter, deceased; thence along the same north forty-one degrees forty-three minutes

thirty-five seconds east 144.074 feet to a point in the northwest line of South Mount Pleasant road; thence along the same along a line curving to the southward with a radius of 814.474 feet, 74.834 feet; thence still along the same along a line curving to the westward with a radius of 129.377 feet, 93.962 feet, to the place of beginning.

SECT. 5. Upon receipt of deeds of conveyance to the City of the beds of Wayne avenue, from Carpenter street to Allens lane; Mount Airy avenue, from McCallum street to Wissahickon avenue (part belonging to said owners); Sherman street, from North Mount Pleasant road to Allens lane; North Mount Pleasant road, from Wissahickon avenue to McCallum street; South Mount Pleasant road, from Wayne avenue to McCallum street (part belonging to said owners); Sedgwick street, from Sherman street to Wissahickon avenue; Ellet street, from property line southwest of Sherman street to Sedgwick street; northeast side of Wissahickon avenue, from Carpenter street to Allens lane; southwest side of Sherman street, from Carpenter street to Ellet street, satisfactory to the City Solicitor; and of all the land belonging to said owners within the boundaries of said extension of Fairmount Park, satisfactory to the Park Solicitor, the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc.: Wayne avenue, from Carpenter street to Allens lane, excepting space to be occupied by bridge; Mount Airy avenue, from Greene street to Wissahickon avenue; Sherman street, from North Mount Pleasant road to Allens lane; North Mount Pleasant road, from McCallum street to Wissahickon avenue; South Mount Pleasant road, from McCallum street to Wayne avenue; Sedgwick street, from Sherman street to Wissahickon avenue; Ellet street, from Sherman street to Sedgwick street; the cost of said work to be taken from the item for grading in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. In all cases where

the material required to excavate or fill any legally opened streets within six (6) blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract: *Provided*, That the grading shall be advertised for, and the contract awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

SECT. 6. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in North Mount Pleasant road, between Wissahickon avenue and McCallum street; in South Mount Pleasant road, between McCallum street and Wayne avenue; in Wayne avenue, between South Mount Pleasant road and Ellet street; in Ellet street, between Wayne avenue and Sedgwick street; in Sedgwick street, between Ellet street and Wissahickon avenue; in Wissahickon avenue, between Sedgwick street and North Mount Pleasant road.

SECT. 7. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be the condition of said contracts that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying upon the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, and also the assessable frontage of the Fairmount Park extension on said streets, shall be charged to the item for branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys: *Provided*, That no assessment bills shall be charged against property other than that owned by the Mason Estate and the Carpenter Estate, on the line of South Mount Pleasant road and Ellet street, which is assessed at suburban rates, but no permits shall be issued for the drainage of the unassessed properties until the regular frontage charge has been paid.

SECT. 8. The Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to lay water pipe in North Mount Pleasant road, from Wissahickon avenue to McCallum street; in South Mount Pleasant road, from McCallum street to Wayne avenue; in Wayne avenue, South Mount Pleasant road to Ellet street; Ellet street, Wayne avenue to Sedgwick street; and in Sedgwick street, from Ellet street to Wissahickon avenue.

SECT. 9. The Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to notify owners of property on the following streets to set curb, and pave the sidewalks in front of their respective properties within sixty days after receiving said notice: North Mount Pleasant road, Wissahickon avenue to McCallum street; South Mount Pleasant road, McCallum street to Wayne avenue; Wayne avenue, South Mount Pleasant road to Ellet street; Ellet street, Wayne avenue to Sedgwick street; and Sedgwick street, from Ellet street to Wissahickon avenue.

SECT. 10. Should any of the property owners refuse or neglect to set curb and to lay the sidewalk pavement for sixty (60) days after said notice has been given, the Department of Public Works shall enter into a contract without delay, to have said work done, and charge the cost thereof to the owners of the property in front of which it is done; and if the said cost is not paid within sixty days after a bill for the same has been presented, a claim shall be filed in the proper Court for the amount therefor, which claim shall be a lien against the property and shall be controlled in the same manner as other municipal claims are now by law controlled: *Provided*, That the part or share properly chargeable to the City, because of the ownership of the extension of Fairmount Park abutting on the streets aforesaid, shall be charged to the item for grading, curbing, paving and repaving footways in the appropriation to the Bureau of Highways.

SECT. 11. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts with competent pavers for paving the following streets with bitu-

minous bound macadam with concrete base and brick gutters: North Mount Pleasant road, between Wissahickon avenue and McCallum street; South Mount Pleasant road, between McCallum street and Wayne avenue; Wayne avenue, from South Mount Pleasant road to Ellet street; Ellet street, from Wayne avenue to Sedgwick street; and Sedgwick street, from Ellet street to Wissahickon avenue. The portion of the work to be paid for by the City shall be taken from the item for paving in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. The conditions of the contract shall be that the contractor shall collect the cost of paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said streets in good repair for five years after the paving is finished: *Provided*, That the said streets shall first be duly opened and that the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for paving said streets and award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, and that the owners of property fronting on said streets shall not be charged more than the contract price: *Provided*, That no assessment bills shall be charged against property other than that owned by the Mason Estate and the Carpenter Estate, on the line of South Mount Pleasant road and Ellet street, which is assessed at suburban rates.

SECT. 12. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of the portions of Mount Airy avenue, Ellet street and South Mount Pleasant road, authorized to be opened in Section 3, and by reason of the appropriation of extensions of Fairmount Park as authorized in Section 4 of this ordinance; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three (3) months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said streets.

SECT. 13. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 121.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the approval of schedules and bills during the summer recess of Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That during the summer recess of Councils three (3) members of any committee shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum for the approval of schedules and bills.

APPENDIX No. 122.

RESOLUTION

Providing for the summer recess of Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That when these Councils adjourn this day, July 20, 1916, it shall be until Thursday, September 21, 1916, and that the intervening meetings of Councils be, and are hereby dispensed with.

APPENDIX No. 123:

Philadelphia, August 4, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of May 7, 1857, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance Fund of the City of Philadelphia respectfully present their report for the quarter ending June 30, 1916:

*Sinking Fund.**Receipts:*

1916.

Mch. 31, To cash balance	\$2,209,401 36
To additional appropriation for first quarter, 1916.....	79,203 00
To second quarterly appropriation, 1916.	1,750,961 01
To interest on securities.....	508 584 80
To interest on temporary loan.....	12,000 00
To interest on deposits.....	22 209 26
To temporary loan returned.....	1,200,000 00
To unclaimed interest returned.....	813 25
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	\$5,783,172 68

Expenditures:

By interest on loans.....	\$2,260,764 25
By loans purchased	446,212 18
By unclaimed interest	42 00
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	2,707,018 43

Cash balance June 30, 1916.....	\$3,076,154 25
Par value of City Securities in Sinking Fund	22,715,300 00
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Total cash and investments.....	\$25,791,454 25

*Fire Insurance Fund.**Receipts:*

1916.

Mch. 31, To cash balance	\$40,562 69
To annual appropriation	25,000 00
To interest on securities.....	7,964 00
To interest on deposits.....	622 76
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	\$74,149 45

Expenditures:

By amount paid Adjuster of Risks	\$180 00	
By amount paid Adjuster of old piggery fire on Nov. 12, 1913	861 95	
By amount paid House of Correction laundry fire May 27, 1914.....	26 50	
By amount paid Byberry Farms House No. 1, Feb. 5, 1916.....	45 75	
		1,114 20
Cash balance June 30, 1916.....		\$73,035 25
Par value of City Securities in Fire In- surance Fund		426,500 00
Total Cash and Investments.....		\$499,535 25

Respectfully submitted,

E. T. STOTESBURY,

JNO. M. WALTON,

*Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance
Fund.*

APPENDIX No. 124.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1916.

In re File No. 190

Subject: Commissioners of the Sinking Fund between
the City of Philadelphia and the Philadelphia Rapid
Transit Co., audit of bonds, accounts, securities and
vouchers for the period from July 1, 1915, to June
30, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with clause nine (9) of
the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the

Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company (ordinance of Councils of July 1, 1907), I have the honor to report that I have made an examination of the bonds, accounts, securities and vouchers of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund between the City of Philadelphia and the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, and certify that the statement of cash receipts and disbursements for the period from July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916 (Exhibit "A"); the statement of the accumulated fund for the same period (Exhibit "B"); the balance sheet as of June 30, 1916 (Exhibit "C"); and the schedule of investments as of June 30, 1916 (Schedule No. 1 of Exhibit "C"), hereto appended, are in accordance with the accounts and vouchers of the said Commissioners and correctly set forth their transactions and the condition of the Sinking Fund to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

I have examined the securities in the possession of the Commissioners and find them in accordance with the schedule of investments hereto appended. The bank balance at June 30, 1916, has been verified.

Very truly yours,

JNO. M. WALTON,
City Controller.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND BETWEEN
THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA AND THE PHILA-
DELPHIA RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY

*Cash Receipts and Disbursements from July 1, 1915, to June 30,
1916.*

1915:

July 1. Cash balance	\$34,107 12
Receipts—July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916:	
July 1. Income from investments....	\$6,614 50
July 30. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00
Aug. 31. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00
Sept. 28. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00
Oct. 30. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00

Oct. 30. Interest on bank deposits from April 1, to October 1, 1915.....	405 77	
Nov. 29. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Dec. 30. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Dec. 31. Income from investments.....	7,995 75	
1916:		
Jan. 31. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Feb. 28. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Mar. 28. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Apr. 5. Interest on bank deposits from October 1 to April 1, 1916.....	177 79	
Apr. 28. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
May 29. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
June 28. Phila. Rapid Transit Co. under agreement	10,000 00	
Total Receipts. July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916	135,193 81	
Total	\$169,300 93	
<i>Disbursements. July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916.</i>		
1915:		
Sept. 28. Purchase of \$65,000 School District of Philadelphia 4 $\frac{1}{4}$'s, due 1938, at 103.56.....	\$67,314 00	
Sept. 28. Accrued interest on above....	667 60	
1916:		
Jan. 4. Rent of safe in vault in Third National Bank, from Jan. 3, 1916, to Jan. 3, 1917.....	3 00	
Feb. 10. Purchase of \$50,000 City of Philadelphia 4's, due 1946, at 102 $\frac{7}{8}$, less $\frac{1}{8}$ paid on account.....	51,000 00	
Feb. 28. Purchase of \$50,000 City of Philadelphia 4's, due 1946, at 102 $\frac{7}{8}$, less $\frac{1}{8}$, balance due.....	375 00	
Feb. 28. Accrued interest on above....	222 22	
Total Disbursements. July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916.....	\$119,581 82	
June 30. Cash balance	49,719 11	
Total	\$169,300 93	

EXHIBIT "A"

Statement of Income Accrued and Expenses Incurred of the Sinking Fund from July 1, 1915, to June 30, 1916.

Twelve monthly payments of \$10,000 each.....	\$120,000 00	
Income from investments.....	16,101 68	
Interest on deposits.....	583 56	
Amortization of discounts on investments purchased	\$315 69	
Less. Amortization of premiums on investments purchased	121 39	
	<u>194 30</u>	
		\$136,879 54
Deduct:		
Expense. One year's rent of safe deposit box.....	3 00	
Net income for year ended June 30, 1916.....	\$136,876 54	
Balance of Accumulated Fund, July 1, 1915.....	379,621 42	
	<u>516,497 96</u>	
Balance of Accumulated Fund, June 30, 1916.....		\$516,497 96

EXHIBIT "B"

Balance Sheet showing Financial Condition of Sinking Fund June 30, 1916.

Cash	\$49,719 11	Discounts on investments purchased (less amortization) ..	\$6,675 92
Investments (City and School Loans) at par...	459,400 00	Accumulated Fund	516,497 96
Interest accrued, not due.....	8,995 75		
Premium on investments purchased (less amortization) ..	5,059 02		
	<u>\$523,173 88</u>		
Total	\$523,173 88	Total	\$523,173 88

EXHIBIT "C"

*Investments held by the Sinking Fund, June 30, 1916.
Loans of the City of Philadelphia.*

Certificate No. 20, loan of March 15, 1900 (July, 1901), 3½%, due July 1, 1931.....	\$9,000 00
Certificate No. 83, loan of March 15, 1900 (July, 1901), 3½%, due July 1, 1931.....	50,000 00

Certificate No. 166, loan of March 15, 1900 (July, 1901), 3 ½ %, due July 1, 1931.....	400 00
Certificate No. 3, loan of Feb. 9, 1907, 3 ½ %, due Jan. 1, 1937	50,000 00
Certificate No. 128, loan of Feb. 9, 1907, 4%, due Jan. 1, 1938	50,000 00
Certificate No. 87, loan of Apr. 15, 1908, 4%, due July 1, 1938	50,000 00
Certificate No. 125, loan of Apr. 15, 1908, 4%, due July 1, 1938	20,000 00
Certificate No. 341, loan of Apr. 15, 1908, 4%, due July 1, 1938	5,000 00
Certificate No. 369, loan of Apr. 15, 1908, 4%, due July 1, 1938	10,000 00
Certificate No. 1, loan of Feb. 25, 1913, 4%, due May 1, 1943	50,000 00
Certificate No. 2, loan of June 22, 1914, 4%, due July 1, 1944	50,000 00
Certificate No. 14, loan of Feb. 25, 1913, 4%, due Jan. 1, 1946	50,000 00

Loans of the School District of Philadelphia, The Board of Public Education.

Certificate No. 2281-2284, loan of July 1, 1914, 4¼%, due July 1, 1938.....	\$20,000 00
Certificate No. 1994-2020, loan of July 1, 1914, 4¼%, due July 1, 1938.....	27,000 00
Certificate No. 1084-1119, loan of July 1, 1914, 4¼%, due July 1, 1938.....	18,000 00
Total	\$459,400 00

EXHIBIT "C," SCHEDULE No. 1

APPENDIX No. 125.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF
THE PEACE, COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

In the matter of the addition of a tract of ground (formerly of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania), to the County of Philadelphia, and its incorporation in the Thirty-fifth Ward of said City.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

I have the honor to transmit herewith a certified copy of the proceedings of the Court of Quarter Sessions of

Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, detaching a tract of land from said County, and attaching the same to Philadelphia County; and also of the proceedings of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Philadelphia County, attaching said piece of ground to the Thirty-fifth Ward of said City of Philadelphia.

I have the honor to remain,

Your obedient servant,

BENJ. N. FAUNCE,

Pro Clerk, Court of Quarter Sessions, Philadelphia County.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF
THE PEACE, COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

In the matter of the addition of a tract of ground to the County of Philadelphia, and its incorporation in the 12th Election District of the Thirty-fifth Ward.

WHEREAS, In pursuance of an Act of Assembly dated May 6, 1915 (P. L. 274), the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, by decree dated June 17, 1916, detached and severed the following described piece of ground from said Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and attached and annexed the same to Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, and made the same a part of said Philadelphia County, said decree being recorded at Philadelphia in deed book J. M. H., No. 87, page 433, etc.

NOW THEREFORE, To WIT, September 15, 1916, present Hon. Howard A. Davis, the Court order and adjudge that the said tract of ground detached and severed from said Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and attached and annexed to said Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, as aforesaid, and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the County line or the line dividing the Counties of Philadelphia and Montgomery, which point also marks the intersection of the middle lines of Cheltenham avenue and "G" street; thence over

the County line and up and along the middle line of "G" street the following courses and distances: North 37 degrees 17 minutes east five hundred and eighty-one and nineteen one-hundredths feet, north 37 degrees 34 minutes, east five hundred and forty-five and forty-five one-hundredths feet, north 38 degrees 33 minutes, east seventeen hundred and twenty-nine feet and forty-one one-hundredths feet, north 38 degrees 27 minutes east nine hundred and eighty-one and fifty-eight one-hundredths feet, north 38 degrees 50 minutes east 806 and two-tenths feet, north 40 degrees 40 minutes east seven hundred and five and fifty-six one-hundredths feet to a stone marking the intersection of the middle line of "G" street with land of the Philadelphia and Newtown and New York Railroad Company, being the southerly right of way line of said company; thence by and along said land and said right of way line the following courses and distances: south 61 degrees 49 minutes west eighty-seven and eight-tenths feet to a stone in the northwesterly side of "G" street and a corner of land of Josiah Hellerman; thence along said right of way line and by land of said Josiah Hellerman et al. south 62 degrees 8 minutes west one hundred and forty-two and fifty-five one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 54 degrees 3 minutes west two hundred and seventy-five feet to a stone, south 50 degrees 17 minutes west three hundred and eighty-five and ninety one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 54 degrees 45 minutes west three hundred and forty and two-tenths feet to a stone, south 60 degrees 19 minutes west two hundred and seven and fourteen-hundredths feet to a stone, south 54 degrees 37 minutes west two hundred and seventy-five and forty-five hundredths feet to a stone, south 54 degrees 50 minutes west nine hundred and four and six-tenths feet to a stone, south 47 degrees 43 minutes west one hundred and nineteen and eighty-six one-hundredths of a foot to a stone; thence by same south 47 degrees 50 minutes east twenty-five and fifty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone and a corner of land of Thomas Brooks, Jr.; and thence by and along the line dividing said land of said railroad and of said Thomas Brooks, Jr., the following courses and distances,

to wit: south 54 degrees 24 minutes west eleven hundred and forty-two and sixty-six one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 56 degrees 8 minutes west one hundred and nineteen and eighty one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 45 degrees 4 minutes west one hundred and sixty-four and thirty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 52 degrees 46 minutes west three hundred and one and sixty-five one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 37 degrees 20 minutes west eighty-eight and ninety-four one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 49 degrees 23 minutes east ninety-seven and fifty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 38 degrees 51 minutes west three hundred and sixty-four and forty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 50 degrees 39 minutes east thirty-eight and twenty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone; thence by and along land now or lately owned by Crescentville Land Company the following courses and distances, to wit: south 38 degrees 49 minutes west four hundred and thirty-seven and eleven one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 51 degrees 17 minutes east fifty and sixteen one-hundredths feet to a stone, south 38 degrees 48 minutes west one hundred and fifty-five and sixty-one one-hundredths feet to a stone in the middle line of Cheltenham avenue, also the County line dividing said Counties of Philadelphia and Montgomery; thence by and along said line and the middle of said avenue south 51 degrees 12 minutes east nine hundred and ninety-three and twenty-six one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning, containing eighty-three and nine hundred and eighty-five one-thousandths acres of land, is hereby added to and shall forthwith become a part of the Thirty-fifth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

Certified from the record.

BENJ. N. FAUNCE,

Pro Clerk, Court of Quarter Sessions, Philadelphia County.

APPENDIX No. 126.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I return to you herewith, without my approval, Common Council Ordinance No. 79 entitled:

“An Ordinance to provide for the payment of the expense of paving certain streets and for parking, planting or other improvements.”

The Director of the Department of Public Works believes such an ordinance to be highly desirable and necessary for the best development of the City. The City Solicitor, however, expresses the opinion that “The ordinance in question radically changes the assessment of adjoining property owners for the cost of paving certain kinds of streets. Councils have the power to order streets paved and to pay therefor out of the City Treasury, but when it comes to assessing the whole or any part of this charge upon adjoining property owners it can only do so in the express manner provided by statute. Any departure therefrom invalidates the whole assessment, even if the change is for the benefit of the property owner. No existing statutes give Councils power to assess adjoining property in this ordinance.” He recommends “that this whole question should be referred to the Legislature and that the City should take no action that might jeopardize its assessment bills until after the passage of an Act of the Legislature giving Councils express power to change its present methods of assessing for such improvements.”

In view of this opinion, it seems advisable to withhold action on this subject until authority is secured from the Legislature to enable the City to provide in the manner contemplated by the ordinance for the expense of such improvements.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 127.

RESOLUTION.

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Gillespie street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Gillespie street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 128.

RESOLUTION.

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from a point 60 feet above Walker street to the sewer in Algard street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Longshore street, from a point 60 feet above Walker street to the sewer in Algard street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public

Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 129.

RESOLUTION.

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Longshore street, from Gillespie street to sewer in Algard street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Longshore street, from Gillespie street to sewer in Algard street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 130.

RESOLUTION.

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary drain in Cottage street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit T. W. South to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Cottage

street, from a point 155 feet above Longshore street to drain in Longshore street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 131.

RESOLUTION

To authorize repairs, alterations, improvements and equipment for Room 740-A City Hall, for use of Photographic Division of the Department of City Transit, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to use the unexpended balance remaining in Item 11 (1) of appropriation to Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) by ordinance approved July 9, 1915, for repairs, alterations, improvements and equipment for Room 740-A City Hall, for the Photographic Division of the Department of City Transit.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 132.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve cer-

tain country roads," approved July 20, 1916, against any appropriation made to said Department for improving country roads; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve certain country roads," approved July 20, 1916, shall be taken out of any appropriation made to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, for the improvement of country roads.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 133.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, to charge the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets," approved July 31, 1916, against any appropriation made to said Department for repaving; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the cost of all work done under the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets," approved July 31, 1916, shall be taken out of any appropriation made to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, for repaving.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 134.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing and directing the Board of Highway Supervisors to permit the Baldwin Locomotive Works to erect a steel chute over the pavement for a period of one year only, and to be supported entirely from their building at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Highway Supervisors be, and is hereby authorized and directed to permit the Baldwin Locomotive Works to erect a steel chute over the pavement for a period of one year only, and be supported entirely from their building at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward: *Provided,* That the Baldwin Locomotive Works first pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this resolution.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 135.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK.

Philadelphia, October 2, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Agreeably to Section third of Ordinance of Council approved the 16th day of March, 1872, we have the honor to submit herewith a report showing the amount of the Three per cent. Loan of April 1, 1890, of the City, on which interest is paid by the City as it stood May 1, 1916, and as it stands in the books of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank Loan and Transfer Agent of the City of October 1, 1916.

Very truly yours,

GEO. H. MILLETT,
Asst. Cashier.

Report of the amount of the Three per cent. Loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, on which interest is paid by the City, as it stood on April 1, 1916, and as it stands on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on October 1, 1916.

Amount of Three per cent. Loan, April 1,	
1916	\$920,000
Amount of Three per cent. Loan, October 1,	
1916	920,000

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA,

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

GEO. H. MILLETT,
Asst. Cashier.

Philadelphia, October 2, 1916.

Report showing the amount of the Three per cent. Loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, on which interest is paid by the City, as it appears on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on October 1, 1916.

Amount of Loan registered, held by general holders, May 1, 1916.....	\$235,000	
Amount of Loan registered, held by Sinking Funds, May 1, 1916.....	685,000	
		\$920,000
Amount of loan registered, held by general holders, October 1, 1916.....	\$235,000	
Amount of Loan registered, held by Sinking Funds, October 1, 1916.....	685,000	
		\$920,000

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA,

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

GEO. H. MILLETT,

Asst. Cashier.

Philadelphia, October 2, 1916.

Semi-Annual Statement of Interest due November 1, 1916, on the Three per cent. Loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, as it appears on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on October 1, 1916.

	Principal	Interest
Three per cent. Loan, untaxed, registered.	\$920,000	\$13,800

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA,

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

GEO. H. MILLETT,

Asst. Cashier.

Philadelphia, October 2, 1916.

APPENDIX No. 136.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I am transmitting herewith to your Honorable Bodies an ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works,” approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916.

The original ordinance antedates the preparation and passage of this year's loan ordinances, and did not therefore contemplate nor include the additional sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) therein provided for the Convention Hall. I would therefore appreciate your prompt action upon this amendatory ordinance.

As I have a matter of great public interest which I desire to submit to your Honorable Bodies, at as early a date as possible, I also take this opportunity to respectfully request the holding of a stated meeting of both branches of Councils on Tuesday next, October 10.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 137.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance amendatory of an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, etc.,’” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), William J. McCloskey, Robert Smith, H. J. Trainer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, E. Buchholz, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley, William H. Quigley, Bernard J. McGuigan, John H. Baizley, James H. McGurk, Wm. C. Williams.

AN ORDINANCE

Amendatory of an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works,” approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into and execute a contract or contracts for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditor-

ium, on ground owned by the City on the Parkway, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, north of the Parkway; authorizing him to enter into and execute a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications therefor, and providing for the construction of same under the direction of the Department of Public Works," approved the eighteenth day of February, 1916, be amended as follows:

That Section 1 of said ordinance, which reads as follows:

"SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to enter into and execute a contract or contracts on behalf of the City of Philadelphia for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by an architect, who shall be employed as provided for in Section 2 hereof; said Convention Hall to be erected at a cost not to exceed one million four hundred and eighteen thousand (1,418,000) dollars, being the balance of the amount heretofore appropriated for that purpose.

"Such Convention Hall is to be erected on ground now owned by the City and described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the south line of Hamilton street, sixty-six (66) feet wide, and the east line of Twenty-second street, eighty (80) feet wide as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, September 20, 1909, and thence extending eastward along the said south line of Hamilton street one hundred and seventy-one (171) feet one and three-eighths ($1\frac{3}{8}$) inches to a point; thence southwestward along and across the portal of the Pennsylvania avenue tunnel fifty-one (51) feet ten and one-half ($10\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the southwest line of the Pennsylvania avenue subway; thence southeast along the same the various courses and distances thereof to the west line of Twenty-first street, sixty (60) feet wide; thence southward along the same four hundred and fifty-nine (459) feet six and one-half ($6\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the line of the Parkway; thence northwestward along the same four

hundred and fifty-three (453) feet nine and one-half ($9\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the east line of Twenty-second street, eighty (80) feet wide; thence northward along the same three hundred and seventy-four (374) feet four (4) inches to the south line of Hamilton street and the place of beginning," be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to enter into and execute a contract or contracts on behalf of the City of Philadelphia for the erection of a Convention Hall, to be known as the Municipal Auditorium, in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by an architect, who shall be employed as provided for in Section 2 hereof; said Convention Hall to be paid for from the sums remaining from funds heretofore appropriated toward the erection of a Convention Hall and from such other money as may hereafter be appropriated for that purpose.

Such Convention Hall is to be erected on ground now owned by the City and described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the south line of Hamilton street, sixty-six (66) feet wide, and the east line of Twenty-second street, eighty (80) feet wide, as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, September 20, 1909, and thence extending eastward along the said south line of Hamilton street one hundred and seventy-one (171) feet one and three-eighths ($1\frac{3}{8}$) inches to a point; thence southwestward along and across the portal of the Pennsylvania avenue tunnel fifty-one (51) feet ten and one-half ($10\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the southwest line of the Pennsylvania avenue subway; thence southeast along the same the various courses and distances thereof to the west line of Twenty-first street, sixty (60) feet wide; thence southward along the same four hundred and fifty-nine (459) feet six and one-half ($6\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the line of the Parkway; thence northwestward along the same four hundred and fifty-three (453) feet nine and one-half ($9\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point in the east line of Twenty-second street eighty (80) feet wide; thence northward along the same

three hundred and seventy-four (374) feet four (4) inches to the south line of Hamilton street and the place of beginning.

That Section 4 of said ordinance which reads as follows:

“SECTION 4. The contracts hereinabove provided for shall be charged against the loan authorized by ordinance of June 19, 1911, and to Item 110 (loan) in the appropriation to the Mayor,” be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 4. The contracts hereinabove provided for shall be charged against the loans authorized by ordinance of June 19, 1911, and of June 29, 1916, to Items 110 (loan) and 190 (loan) in the appropriation to the Mayor, and against such other money as may hereafter be appropriated thereto, and the said contracts for such erection shall be entered into from time to time when and as such appropriations shall be made.

APPENDIX No. 138.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation, and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of certain streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: Broad street, from Cheltenham avenue to Old York road; Etting street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Bambrey street, from Morris to Moore street; intersection of Broad street and Green lane; Bambrey street, from Allegheny avenue to Willard street; Seventh street, from Bristol to Cayuga street; Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street; Torresdale avenue, from Kensington avenue to bridge over Frankford creek; Old York road, from Oak lane to City Line; York road, from Oak lane to County Line; Tenth street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue; Toronto street, from Twenty-second to Fox street; Ogontz avenue, from Olney avenue to Chew street; Church lane, from Ogontz avenue to Twentieth street; Island road, from Elmwood avenue to Eastwick avenue; Woodlawn avenue, from Sprague to Ardleigh street; Twenty-sixth street, from Moore street to Snyder avenue; Twenty-seventh street, from Moore street to Snyder avenue; Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue; Adams avenue, from Castor road to The Boulevard. The cost of said work to be taken from any item for grading in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways). In all cases where the material required to excavate or fill any legally opened street within six blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract: *Provided*, That the grading shall be advertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 139.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving of certain streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for repaving the following streets with asphalt, with vitrified block gutters where deemed necessary by the said Director, and with granite block between the rails when the street is occupied by trolley tracks, viz.: Wallace street, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Thirtieth street, from Huntingdon to Oakdale street; Twenty-fifth street, from Thompson to Master street; south side of Market street, from Ludlow to Forty-fifth street; Girard avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Fortieth street; Park avenue, from Allegheny to Rising Sun avenue; Thirty-fourth street, from Haverford avenue to Powelton avenue, and from Race street to Lancaster avenue; Ontario street, from Broad to Twenty-second street; Wolf street, from Sixteenth street east to present asphalt; west side of Sixty-third street, from Market to Vine street; Hunting-

don street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street; Susquehanna avenue, from Cedar avenue to Memphis street; Eighteenth street, from Erie avenue to Venango street; Christian street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; Twenty-third street, from Walnut to Spruce street; Darien street, from Columbia avenue to Montgomery avenue; Sixth street, from Tioga street to Erie avenue; Jefferson street, from Seventh to Eighth street; Leithgow street, from Berks to Cadwallader street; Eighteenth street, from Susquehanna avenue to Glenwood avenue; Fairmount avenue, from Second to Sixth street; Chester avenue, from West Chester R. R. to Fifty-fifth street; Sixtieth street, from Market to Catharine street; Fortieth street, from P. R. R. bridge to Parkside avenue; Twenty-second street, from Ellsworth to Dickinson street; Thompson street, from Belmont avenue eastward to present asphalt; Poplar street, from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street; Wyalusing avenue, from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street; Erie avenue, from Broad to Nineteenth street; Wharton street, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street; Dickinson street, from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-eighth street; Watts street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue; Porter street, from Broad to Eighteenth street; Emerald street, from Stella to Orleans street; Orleans street, from Emerald to Jasper street; Carlisle street, from Morris to Tasker street; Twentieth street, from Titan to Reed street; Nineteenth street, from Tasker to Mifflin street; Tioga street, from Germantown avenue to Broad street, and from Rising Sun lane to Old Yord road; Rosewood street, from Tasker to Morris street; American street, from South to Monroe street; Race street, from Franklin to Eighth street; Hancock street, from Somerset street to Indiana avenue; Orkney street, from Lehigh avenue to Cambria street; Leithgow street, from Somerset street to Indiana avenue; Clymer street, from Fifteenth street to dead end; Twenty-eighth street, from Grays Ferry road to Peltz street; Fifteenth street, from South Penn Square to Chestnut street; Seigel street, from Seventh to Eighth street; Lehigh avenue, from Twenty-second street to Ridge avenue; Twenty-sixth street, from

Reed to Tasker street; Twenty-third street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Moore street, from Eighteenth street to Point Breeze avenue; Myrtlewood street, from Oxford to Jefferson street; Hollywood street, from Oxford to Jefferson street; Twenty-second street, from Fitzwater to Christian street; Twenty-fourth street, from Montrose to Washington avenue; Twenty-first street, from Christian street to Washington avenue.

The following streets with granite block:

Fifth street, from Green to Market street; Fairhill street, from Montrose to League street; League street, from Sixth to Fairhill street; Woodland avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-eighth street; Cadwallader street, from 150 feet south of Master street to Thompson street; Cheltenham avenue, from Germantown avenue to Stenton avenue; Vine street, from Front to Broad street; Watts street, from Parrish to Poplar street; Germantown avenue, from Penn to Haines street; and from Erie avenue to Wingohocking street; Sixteenth street, from Market to Filbert street; Seventeenth street, from Market to Filbert street; Eighteenth street, from Market to Filbert street; Nineteenth street, from Market to Filbert street; Twentieth street, from Market to Filbert street; American street, from Reed to Wharton street; Fifteenth street, from Market to Arch street; Percy street, from South to Bainbridge street; Jessup street, from Bainbridge to Fitzwater street; Mildred street, from Bainbridge to Fitzwater street; Beechwood street, from Arch to Cherry street; Second street, from Poplar street to Girard avenue.

The following streets with vitrified block:

Chew street, from Cheltenham avenue to Washington lane; Marshall street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Watkins street, from Eighth to Eleventh street; McClellan street, from Fourth to Fifth street.

The following streets with wood block, using granite block between the rails when the street is occupied by trolley tracks:

Sixth street, from Green to Chestnut street; Pine street,

from Broad to Fifteenth street; Ninth street, from Market to Arch street; Columbia avenue, from Broad to Twenty-third street; Eighteenth street, from Wolf to Ritner street; Lawrence street, from Berks street to Lehigh avenue; Belgrade street, from Susquehanna avenue to a point 200 feet northeast; East Susquehanna avenue, from Almond to Cedar street; Race street, from Broad to Twenty-third street; Vine street, from Broad to Twenty-third street; Berks street, from Frankford avenue southeast 150 feet; Frankford avenue, from Berks street to 150 feet southeast, and from Montgomery avenue to 150 feet southeast; Marlborough street, from Beach street to the northwest side of Richmond street; Richmond street, from Marlborough street to 150 feet northeast; Montgomery avenue, from Frankford avenue to 150 feet southeast; Berks street, from Memphis street to 150 feet northwest; Susquehanna avenue, from Belgrade street to 150 feet northwest; Eighth street, from York street to 150 feet north; Columbia avenue, from Broad to Twenty-third street; Chestnut street, from Delaware avenue to Twelfth street; Thirteenth street, from Vine to Walnut street; Cherry street, from Broad to Thirteenth street; Passyunk avenue, from South to Eighteenth street; Eleventh street, from Spruce to Race street; Filbert street, from Tenth to Twelfth street; Camac street, from Walnut to Locust street; Ridge avenue, from the south side of Walnut lane to north side of Jamestown street; York street, from Seventh to Eighth street; Tucker street, from Memphis to Cedar street; Lehigh avenue, from Memphis to Cedar street; Cedar street, from Lehigh avenue to Tucker street; Memphis street, from Lehigh avenue to Tucker street; Hope street, from Diamond to Berks street; Ludlow street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; Fourth street, from Reed to Gerritt street; Gerritt street, from Fourth to Ragio street; Main street, from Walnut lane to Green lane.

The cost of said repaving to be paid out of any item for repaving in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 140.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improvement of country roads," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the improvement of certain country roads.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the improving of the following country roads to a width not exceeding eighteen (18) feet in the center, viz.: Bellfield avenue, from Loudon street to Stenton avenue; Olney avenue, from Ogontz avenue to Wister street; York road, from Oak Lane to County Line; Torresdale avenue, from Rhawn to Blakiston street; McCallum street, from Lincoln drive to Ellett street; City Line, from Schuylkill River to sixteen hundred (1,600) feet west; Sixty-third street, from Lancaster avenue to City Line; Sixty-sixth street, from Woodbine avenue to City Line; Church lane, from Ogontz avenue to Twentieth street; Island road, from Elmwood avenue to Eastwick avenue; Cottage street, from Higbee to Benner street.

The cost of said work to be taken from any item for the improvement of country roads in the appropriation to the

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): *Provided*, That no part of the money in said item shall be used otherwise than to improve the streets and roads herein named substantially upon the present lines and the present physical grades, except for sufficient grading to secure an even surface: *Provided, also*, That the property owners shall not be released from paying for paving the above streets and roads when same may be directed to be paved by an ordinance of Councils.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 141.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is

hereby granted to Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue. The dial of said clock not to exceed three (3) feet in diameter, with base not exceeding two (2) feet and height not to exceed twelve (12) feet, and shall be erected under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, and shall have no advertisement other than the name thereon, and shall be removed at any time upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and the street restored to its present condition: *Provided*, That said Starr & Moss first pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 142.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Twenty-first street, from Kemble street to Nedro avenue," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Twenty-first street, from
Kemble street to Nedro avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Twenty-first street, from Kemble street to Nedro avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use. *Provided*, That an agreement or bond, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be filed, protecting the City from any damages that may be assessed by opening of said street.

SECT. 2. Upon the filing of the agreement or bond required in Section 1, the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 143.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The estimated damages are eighty-five hundred (8,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Kenyon street, from Armat street to East School House lane, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 144.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Emlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allens lane,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The estimated damages are thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. D. Bacon,
Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley,

George E. Dorwart, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Geo. Connell, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, William D. Asnip, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Emlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allens lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Emlen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allens lane, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use: *Provided*, That the Estate of George W. Carpenter shall first dedicate so much of the bed of Emlen street as is owned by it.

SECT. 2. Upon the filing of the deed of dedication referred to in Section 1, the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 145.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue,” respectfully

report that we have carefully considered the same. The estimated damages are seven thousand (7,000) dollars.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Harrington, Frank J. Ryan, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Geo. Connell, George E. Dorwart, William D. Asnip, John Costello, Wm. C. Williams, Henry F. Kennedy, John J. McKinley, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Old York road, from Loudon street to Fishers avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 146.

RESOLUTION

Relating to the issue of City loans hereafter negotiated; authorizing the loan and transfer agent of the City to issue negotiable interim certificates pending the completion of permanent loan certificates; authorizing the

permanent loan certificates to be issued as desired in registered or coupon form and to be interchangeably used, the coupon form having privilege of registration as to principal; and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That in order to facilitate the sale of loans of the City hereafter negotiated, the loan and transfer agent of the City be, and is hereby authorized and directed to issue negotiable interim certificates in exchange for the City Treasurer's temporary receipts when presented for that purpose by the holders thereof. Said interim certificates shall be signed by two of the officers, together with the transfer officer of the loan and transfer agent, and shall be retired upon the completion and delivery of the permanent loan certificates.

The permanent loan certificates of all loans hereafter negotiated by the City may be issued in registered form in the sum of one hundred (100) dollars and in multiples thereof, and in coupon form in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars each, or in such other convenient form as may meet the demand of modern business procedure, at the discretion of the Mayor and the City Controller. Said loan certificates may be made interchangeable as to form and so indicated on their face, from registered to coupon, or from coupon to registered, and re-exchangeable from one form to the other from time to time, at the option of the holder. And the coupon form of loan may, at the option of the holder, be registered as to principal upon the books of the loan and transfer agent of the City.

All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 147.

RESOLUTION

Fixing Tuesday, October 10, 1916, as a Stated Meeting of the Select and Common Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That Tuesday, October 10, 1916, at 3 P. M. be fixed as a Stated Meeting of the Select and Common Councils.

APPENDIX No. 148.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Surveys to replace the Cole automobile used by the Bureau of Surveys, by making an exchange of said automobile, in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Surveys be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to replace the present Cole automobile used by the Bureau of Surveys, by making an exchange of said automobile, in part settlement for the purchase of a new automobile.

APPENDIX No. 149.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street;" and Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70)

entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street;" and Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street."

APPENDIX No. 150.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to make preparations for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1917.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber shall be appointed for the purpose of making arrangements for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1917.

APPENDIX No. 151.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Quaker City Iron Company to lay a temporary drain under south sidewalk of Edge-

mont street from 359 feet east of Tioga street to Tioga street and thence diagonally across Tioga street to present sewer in Edgemont street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit the Quaker City Iron Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain under south sidewalk of Edgemont street from 359 feet east of Tioga street to Tioga street and thence diagonally across Tioga street to present sewer in Edgemont street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 152.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request by Resolution of even date I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 68, entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 153.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request by Resolution of even date I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 70, entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of
Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to
Bristol street.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 154.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Coroner and Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Wm. E. Finley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, Wm. C. Williams, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, Coroner and Board of Revision of Taxes, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations for the year 1916:

Department of Public Works, Director's Office: From Item 1 (a), salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 4 (b), annual membership in organization for standardizing paving specifications, eighty (80) dollars; from Item 5 (a), salaries, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars. Bureau of Highways: from Item 1 (a), salaries,

one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 6, salaries, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 7, salaries, six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 13, grading, etc., three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 15 (a), salaries, four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 16 (b), boarding, etc., animals, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; from Item 16 (c), horseshoeing, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 18 (a), cleaning and sprinkling streets, six thousand four hundred (6,400) dollars; from Item 18 (b), removal of ashes, etc., one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; from Item 18 (c), removal of garbage, etc., six hundred (600) dollars. Bureau of Gas: From Item 1 (a), salaries, two hundred (200) dollars. Bureau of City Property: From Item 1, salaries, four hundred and ninety-three (493) dollars; from Item 3 (c), lighting of military organizations, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; from Item 8 (g), care of Lazaretto, ninety-five (95) dollars; from Item 7 (a), wages, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars; from Item 12 (a), salaries, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 12 (b), Municipal Band and attendants, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 12 (c), Philadelphia Band and attendants, two hundred (200) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities: From Item 1, salaries, four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 16 (a), salaries, nine hundred (900) dollars; from Item 14 (b), salaries and wages, Home for Indigent, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 14 (c), petty payroll, Holmesburg, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 20, fireproof stairway in hospital department, five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars; from Item 25, salaries, Byberry Farms, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 30 (e), care and keep of children on city piers, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 30 (g), care and maintenance of insane, etc., one thousand four hundred and thirty-three (1,433) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; from Item 37 (c), improvement of water supply, Holmesburg, three thousand (3,000) dollars. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: From Item 1 (a), salaries, one hundred and seventy-two (172) dollars; from Item 4 (a), salaries, one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dol-

lars; from Item 8, salaries, forty-two (42) dollars; from Item 10 (a), salaries, one hundred and forty-eight (148) dollars. Department of City Transit: From Item 5, reports, maps, etc., eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars. Mayor: From Item 1 (a), salaries, six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 1 (b), salaries and wages for extra help, eight hundred (800) dollars; from Item 2 (a), communication service, etc., eight hundred (800) dollars; from Item 9 (c), for music, decorations, etc., Convention of Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, two thousand three hundred and eighteen (2,318) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents. Board of Revision of Taxes: From Item 1 (a), salaries, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 2 (a), carriage hire, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 2 (e), advertising, etc., two hundred (200) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF GAS.

Item 2. Incidentals, two hundred dollars... \$200

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 15 (b). Salaries, inspectors when employed, etc., seven thousand five hundred dollars \$7,500

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 8 (a). Removal of ashes, etc., one thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars \$1,338

Item 10. Wages, nine thousand five hundred dollars 9,500

Item 12 (a). Extra laborers, etc., three thousand two hundred dollars..... 3,200

Provided wages may be paid from this item dating from October 19, 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND
CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 2 (b). Special and miscellaneous services, five hundred dollars.....	\$500
Item 8 (a). Repairs to automobiles, etc., three hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents	383 33
Item 8 (b). Repairs to harness, etc., three hundred dollars	300
Item 10 (b). Manufacturing, wages of mechanics, eleven thousand seven hundred dollars	11,700
Item 13 (a). Repairs to engines and boilers, five hundred dollars	500
Item 22 (b). Cooking and serving outfit, two hundred and fifty dollars.....	250
Item 23 (a). New boilers, etc., five hundred dollars	500

DEPARTMENT OF WHARVES, DOCKS AND
FERRIES.

Item 2 (b). Care, maintenance and equipment of automobiles, five hundred dollars..	\$500
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DEPARTMENT OF CITY TRANSIT.

Item 3 (a). Care, repairs and maintenance of automobiles, three hundred and fifty dollars	\$350
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(WORKS, DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.)

Item 3. Furniture and furnishings, etc., five hundred dollars	\$500
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(TRANSIT.)

Item 4. Miscellaneous, five hundred dollars	\$500
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MAYOR.

Item 4. Official entertaining, four thousand five hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty-three cents	\$4,518 53
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CORONER.

Item 2 (a). Transportation, etc., five hundred dollars	\$500
Item 3 (a). Stationery and office supplies, two hundred dollars.....	200

BOARD OF REVISION OF TAXES.

Item 1 (b). Extra clerk hire, one thousand dollars	\$1,000
Item 2 (c). Postage, telephone, etc., two hundred dollars	200
Item 2 (d). Printing, engraving, etc., five hundred dollars	500
Item 4 (b). Furniture and furnishings, two hundred dollars	200

APPENDIX No. 155.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Clerk of Quarter Sessions, for the year 1916,” respectfully report that

they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Wm. E. Finley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, Wm. C. Williams, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Clerk of Quarter Sessions, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized, to make the following transfers of certain loan funds in the annual appropriations, for the year 1916:

Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police: From Item 3 (200 loan), salaries, twenty-two thousand three hundred and seven (22,307) dollars and three (3) cents. Department of Public Works, Director's Office: From Item 2 (b) (200 loan), storage and care of automobiles, fifty (50) dollars; from Item 2 (d) (200 loan), miscellaneous, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 3 (200 loan), repairs to automobiles, five hundred (500) dollars. Bureau of Highways: From Item 2 (c) (200 loan), miscellaneous, fifty (50) dollars; from Item 3 (200 loan), books, pamphlets, etc., one hundred (100) dollars; from Item 4 (200 loan), repairs to automobiles, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 12 (200 loan), repairs to automobiles, four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 13 (200 loan), grading, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; from Item 17 (200 loan), repairs to automobiles, twenty-five (25) dollars; from Item 20 (b) (200 loan), hire of equipment, seven thousand seven hundred and fifty (7,750)

dollars; from Item 20 (c) (200 loan), repairing breaks, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; from Item 21 (200 loan), wages, for repairing sewers and inlets, fourteen thousand (14,000) dollars; from Item 22 (a) (200 loan), hire of teams, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; from Item 24 (200 loan), wages, etc., seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars; from Item 30 (200 loan), wages, etc., twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars; from Item 31 (b) (200 loan), hire of equipment, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 32 (b) (200 loan), wages, etc., eight thousand (8,000) dollars; from Item 33 (200 loan), hire of teams, etc., three thousand nine hundred (3,900) dollars; from Item 34 (200 loan), grading, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Bureau of City Property: From Item 170 (d) (loan), improvement of small squares, etc., one hundred and forty-five (145) dollars. Bureau of Surveys: From Item 7 (200 loan), salaries, three hundred and thirty-three (333) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents. Bureau of Water: From Item 3 (200 loan), pamphlets, etc., twenty-five (25) dollars; from Item 15 (b) (200 loan), hauling pipe, two thousand (2,000) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 200 (loan), to pay deficiencies, eight hundred and three (803) dollars and eighty (80) cents; from Item 14 (200 loan), to pay assessors, nine hundred and twenty-four (924) dollars; from Item 16 (b) (200 loan), to pay registrars, two thousand five hundred and twenty (2,520) dollars; from Item 19 (200 loan), to pay rent of rooms, three hundred and fifteen (315) dollars; from Item 20 (a) (200 loan), to pay primary election officers, six hundred and thirty (630) dollars; from Item 21 (b) (200 loan), primary and loan election printing, one thousand three hundred and three (1,303) dollars and eleven (11) cents; from Item 24 (a) (200 loan), to pay general election officers, seven hundred and thirty-five (735) dollars; from Item 27 (200 loan), to pay rent of rooms, five hundred and twenty-five (525) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 2 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, meals, etc., one hundred and seventy-five dollars	\$175
Item 11 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, two hundred and twenty-five dollars.....	225
Item 15 (b) (200 loan). Salaries of inspectors (when employed), seventeen thousand five hundred dollars.....	17,500
Item 16 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, etc., two thousand two hundred dollars....	2,200
Item 23 (200 loan). Transportation, one hundred and sixty-five dollars.....	165
Item 26 (200 loan). Transportation, thirty-five dollars	35
Item 28 (200 loan). Transportation, two hundred and fifty dollars.....	250

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 170 (d) (loan). To pay G. A. Conan for necessary work in excess of contract at Clark Park, one hundred and forty-five dollars	\$145
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF HEALTH.

Item 2 (c) (200 loan). Miscellaneous, five hundred dollars	\$500
Item 5 (b) (200 loan), care of animals, etc., two hundred dollars.....	200
Item 7 (b) (200 loan). Wages, relief of children, ten thousand dollars.....	10,000
Item 8 (b) (200 loan). Uniforms and carfare, five hundred dollars.....	500

Item 8 (d) (200 loan). Rental, equipment and maintenance of offices, one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 12 (a) (200 loan). Abatement of nuisances, one thousand dollars.....	1,000
Item 13 (d) (200 loan). Badges for inspectors, two hundred dollars.....	200
Item 16 (b) (200 loan), salaries and wages, etc., Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, twenty thousand dollars.....	20,000
Item 17 (200 loan). Care of animals, etc., two hundred dollars.....	200
Item 18 (200 loan). Gas for fuel, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 200 (loan). To pay burial expenses of Dr. Earl G. Peck, first assistant resident physician, Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, three hundred and twenty-five dollars; to pay bill of Auto Sales Company for ambulance chassis, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-five dollars; to pay bill of Alloway-Meyers Company, for two ambulance bodies, one thousand three hundred and ninety-three dollars; to pay bill of Vim Motor Truck Company, for two automobile delivery wagons, one thousand four hundred and fifty dollars; total, five thousand one hundred and sixty-three dollars	5,163

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 37 (e) (200 loan). For purchase of auto ambulance and auto truck, three thousand dollars	3,000
Item 40 (200 loan). To pay bills of Philadelphia Electric Company for current furnished during 1916 to Home for the Indigent at Holmesburg and for Spring Hill Farm, Torresdale, two thousand dollars..	2,000

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(HEALTH.)

Item 14 (200 loan). Miscellaneous, twenty thousand dollars	\$20,000
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 6 (e) (200 loan). Expenses, etc., Juvenile Division, Municipal Court, two thousand seven hundred dollars.....	\$2,700
Item 6 (f) (200 loan). Expenses, etc., Domestic Relations Division, Municipal Court, three thousand five hundred dollars.....	3,500
Item 6 (g) (200 loan). Communication service, eight hundred and fifty dollars...	850
Item 6 (h) (200 loan). Furniture and equipment	3,000
Item 6 (i) (200 loan). Printing and stationery, six thousand five hundred dollars..	6,500
Item 6 (j) (200 loan). Miscellaneous, two thousand five hundred dollars.....	2,500
Item 6 (n) (200 loan). For the completion of the building at Twelfth and Wood streets, for Court purposes, six thousand dollars..	6,000
Item 16 (c) (200 loan). For extra clerk hire Registration Commissioners, ten thousand dollars	10,000

CITY CONTROLLER.

Item 200 (loan). To pay bill of Dunlap Printing Company for furnishing 250 additional copies of budget statement, six hundred and sixty-two dollars and thirty cents	662 30
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CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS.

Item 200 (loan). To pay bill of Dunlap Printing Company, for printing, one thou-	
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sand one hundred and eighty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents; and to pay bill of Remington Typewriter, for typewriter, eighty-nine dollars and ten cents; total, one thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars and five cents..... \$1,279 05

CORONER.

Item 1 (c) (200 loan). Witness fees, seventy-five dollars	\$75
Item 3 (b) (200 loan). Coal for Morgue, seventy-five dollars	75
Item 3 (e) (200 loan). Special and miscellaneous, one hundred and fifty dollars...	150
Item 4 (200 loan). Burial expenses for Pot- ters' Field burials, eight hundred dollars..	800

RECEIVER OF TAXES.

Item 200 (loan). To refund to Abraham Kazakow twice paid taxes on properties, 1229 North Second street, forty-nine dollars and ninety-two cents, and 922 Newmarket street, forty-two dollars; total, ninety-one dollars and ninety-two cents.....	\$91 92
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APPENDIX No. 156.

Philadelphia, October 5, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize an additional sum out of loan funds for the improvement of Westmoreland Square, by the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property,” respectfully report

that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Simon Walter, John H. Baizley, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Wm. E. Finley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, Wm. C. Williams, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize an additional sum out of loan funds for the improvement of Westmoreland Square, by the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director, Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to expend an additional sum of twelve hundred (1,200) dollars out of Item 52 (loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, for the improvement of Westmoreland Square, by making alterations, repairs and improvements. Any balance not used for the above purpose shall revert to said item.

APPENDIX No. 157.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller and Law, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), James H. McGurk, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. E. Finley, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, H. J. Trainer, Elias Abrams, E. Buchholz, Robt. Smith, George D'Autrechy, Bernard J. McGuigan, T. J. McCarthy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller and Law, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations for the year 1916:

Department of Public Safety, Director's office: from Item 2, transportation, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; Electrical Bureau: from Item 5 (a), electric arc lighting, forty-two thousand three hundred and twenty-seven (42,327) dollars and eleven (11) cents. Department of

Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities: from Item 20 (e), sewage disposal plant (Byberry), ten thousand four hundred and fifty-seven (10,457) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents. Department of Supplies (Electrical Bureau): from Item 39, lumber, etc., five thousand one hundred (5,100) dollars. Inspectors of County Prisons, Reed Street Prison: from Item 4 (n), milk, ninety-six (96) dollars and twenty (20) cents; from Item 4 (o), compressed yeast, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; Holmesburg Prison: from Item 1 (b), overwork of prisoners, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; from Item 3. leather and stocking yarn, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 4 (d), mechanics' and engineers' supplies, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 4 (l), groceries and provisions, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 4 (o), compressed yeast, one hundred (100) dollars; from Item 5, presents for prisoners, one hundred (100) dollars; from Item 6, repairs and improvements, two hundred (200) dollars. City Commissioners: from Item 20 (b), extra help, etc., four hundred and twenty-three (423) dollars and forty (40) cents; from Item 32 (c), care of persons at Pennsylvania Reformatory for Boys at Huntingdon, seven hundred and twenty-nine (729) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; from Item 33 (f), support and maintenance of Old Guard, etc., one thousand and ninety-seven (1,097) dollars and nine (9) cents; from Item 37 purchase of dictaphone, etc., one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Department of Law: from Item 1 (a), salaries, four thousand five hundred and forty-eight (4,548) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; from Item 1 (b), witness fees, three thousand (3,000) dollars; from Item 1 (e), expenses for conveyancing, three hundred (300) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

BUREAU OF FIRE.

Item 16. Toward completion of fire and police station at Hunting Park avenue and Schuyler street, twenty thousand dollars.. \$20,000

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 2 (c). Printing, five hundred dollars.	\$500
Item 2 (f). Advertising, two hundred dollars	200
Item 14. Telephone service, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 18 (b). Maintenance of automobiles, four hundred dollars	400

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 10. Salaries, to pay 2 watchmen during November and December, 1916, at each of the following grade crossings, when established: 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th streets along Oregon avenue, eight hundred dollars	\$800
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 41. Connecting all buildings at Philadelphia Hospital with sewage disposal plant, fencing in sewage disposal plant, wiring all buildings for electric lighting to be connected with new power plant about to be finished, Philadelphia Hospital for Insane, Byberry; closing in porches, Female Home for Indigent, Spring Hill Farms, and heating and lighting of same, lighting and all necessary equipment for sun parlors, men's tubercular building, Philadelphia General Hospital, ten thousand four hundred and fifty-seven dollars and ninety-six cents....	\$10,457 96
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(PUBLIC SAFETY, DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.)

Item 3. Stationery, etc., five hundred dollars	\$500
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(ELECTRICAL BUREAU.)

Item 38. Batteries, register paper, etc., two thousand dollars	2,000
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INSPECTORS OF COUNTY PRISONS.

REED STREET.

Item 4 (l). Groceries and provisions, two hundred dollars	\$200
Item 4 (p). Ice, twenty-six dollars and twenty cents	26 20
Item 4 (r). Gas, twenty dollars	20

HOLMESBURG.

Item 2 (c). Advertising, twenty-five dollars	\$25
Item 4 (e). Soap, two hundred dollars....	200
Item 4 (i). Hay, feed and straw, fifty dollars	50
Item 4 (m). Vegetables, three hundred and twenty-five dollars	325
Item 6 (b). Repairs to roofs on old ward buildings, one thousand and fifty dollars..	1,050

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 1 (d). Extra clerk hire, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars	\$2,250
Item 2. Postage, etc., four hundred and thirty dollars	430
Item 6 (e). Expenses, Common Pleas Court, No. 5, one hundred and fifty dollars	150
Item 9 (a). Telephone, five hundred and twenty-two dollars	522
Item 9 (b). Furnishing light and heat, one hundred and twenty dollars	120
Item 10 (a). Office supplies, two hundred dollars	200
Item 10 (b). Fuel, two hundred dollars ..	200

Item 10 (c). Cleaning and toilet supplies, etc., two hundred and fifty dollars.....	250
Item 10 (d). Clothing, two hundred and fifty dollars	250
Item 10 (e). Bread, etc., two hundred and fifty dollars	250
Item 10 (f). Milk, two hundred dollars..	200
Item 10 (g). Meat and fish, two hundred and fifty dollars	250
Item 10 (h). Vegetables, etc., two hundred and fifty dollars	250
Item 10 (j). Household and engine room supplies, two hundred dollars	200
Item 10 (k). Repairs, painting and replacements, five hundred dollars	500
Item 11 (b). Special fees, etc., three thousand dollars	3,000
Item 17 (a). Automobile hire, meals, postage, etc., one thousand dollars	1,000
Item 17 (c). General printing, four thousand dollars	4,000
Item 28. To pay bill of Penna. Construction Co., for 250 election booths, one thousand four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents; to pay bill of Levan Iron Works, for standards, bases and chains, seven hundred and ninety dollars; to pay bill of Adder Machine Co., Wilkes-Barre, Pa., for two adding machines, seven hundred and fifty dollars; total, two thousand nine hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents	2,952 50
Item 31. To purchase 2-ton truck (Weights and Measures), two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 32 (a). Juvenile support, to pay 1914 bills: Northern Home for Friendless Children, twenty-eight dollars and twenty-nine cents; Grace Aguilar House, thirty-one	

dollars and fourteen cents, and to pay 1915 bills: Tabor Home for Children, one hundred and three dollars and forty-seven cents; Children's Bureau, thirty-seven dollars and fourteen cents; Salvation Army Home, sixty-six dollars and eighty-six cents; Howard Institution, seven dollars and fifty-seven cents; St. Vincent's Home (20th and Race streets), fifteen dollars and forty-three cents; House of Good Shepherd (Rosemont), one dollar and twenty-eight cents; Grace Aguilar House, one hundred and eleven dollars and forty-three cents; total, four hundred and two dollars and sixty-one cents 402 61

Item 40. Alterations, repairs, furniture, furnishings, etc., Room 556, City Hall (Supreme Court), two thousand dollars.. 2,000

CITY CONTROLLER.

Item 3 (a). Stationery, etc., two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars \$2,550

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Item 1 (c). Prothonotary's costs, etc., one thousand five hundred dollars \$1,500

Item 1 (d). Expert service, four thousand eight hundred and forty-eight dollars and sixty-two cents 4,848 62

Item 3 (a). Stationery, printing, etc., one thousand five hundred dollars 1,500

SECT. 2. The City Controller is hereby authorized to make the following transfers of certain loan funds in the annual appropriations for the year 1916: Inspectors of County Prisons, Reed Street Prison: from Item 4 (k) (200 loan), beef and mutton, one thousand (1,000) dollars, to the following:

INSPECTORS OF COUNTY PRISONS.

REED STREET PRISON.

Item 2 (f). (200 loan). Advertising, fifty dollars	\$50
Item 4 (b). (200 loan). Drugs and hospital supplies, two hundred dollars	200
Item 4 (e). (200 loan). Soap, one hundred and fifty dollars.....	150

HOLMESBURG PRISON.

Item 6 (b). (200 loan). Repairs to roofs and old ward buildings, six hundred dollars	600
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APPENDIX No. 158.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the selection of five banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, James H. McGurk, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, H. J. Trainer, Elias Abrams, E. Buchholz, Robert Smith, George D'Autrechy, Bernard J. McGuigan, T. J. McCarthy, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the selection of five banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That hereafter the City Treasurer, with the approval and confirmation by Councils, signified by ordinance for that purpose, shall select five banks or depositories in which the active account of the City shall be kept.

SECT. 2. So much of the Ordinance approved April 9, 1892, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the deposit of City moneys by the City Treasurer and the payment of interest thereon," as amended by ordinances approved January 9, 1908, and February 14, 1910, and of all other ordinances or parts of ordinances as are inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed: *Provided, however*, That the ordinance approved the twenty-fourth day of December, 1914, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the deposit of City money and fixing the amount of interest thereon" shall not be repealed or in any way affected by the provisions of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 159.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating and approving the Olney Bank as a depository of City funds," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, James H.

McGurk, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, H. J. Trainer, Elias Abrams, E. Buchholz, Robert Smith, George D'Autrechy, Bernard J. McGuigan, T. J. McCarthy, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Designating and approving The Olney Bank as a depository of the City funds.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That The Olney Bank be, and the same is hereby designated and approved as a depository of the City funds: Provided, That the bank designated in this ordinance shall pay the rate of interest provided for in the ordinance approved the twenty-fourth day of December, 1914, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the deposit of City money and fixing the amount of interest thereon."*

APPENDIX No. 160.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance relieving the Alumnae Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls from payment of rental for City property used as Athletic Field," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, James H. McGurk, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, H. J. Trainer, Elias Abrams, E. Buchholz, Robert Smith, George D'Autrechy, Bernard J. McGuigan, T. J. McCarthy, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Relieving the Alumnae Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls from payment of rental for City Property used as Athletic Field.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That on and after the passage of this ordinance the Alumnae Association of the Philadelphia High School for Girls be, and the same is hereby relieved of the payment of an annual rental fee of one hundred (100) dollars for the use of City property set aside to the said Association by ordinance approved December 9, 1915, as an Athletic Field.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 161.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be three thousand (3,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Harrington, Charles Seger, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Geo. Connell, H. F. Kennedy, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, David G. Frankenfield.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Marshall street, from Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use. *Provided*, That Francis B. J. Branagan shall dedicate so much of the bed of said street as is owned by him.

SECT. 2. Upon the filing of the deed of dedication referred to in Section 1 the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 162.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Bristol street from Sixth to Seventh street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The probable amount of damages will be two thousand (2,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Harrington, Charles Seger, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. Mc-

Kinley, Jr., Geo. Connell, H. F. Kennedy, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, David G. Frankenfield.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Bristol street, from Sixth to Seventh street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 163.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. J. Harrington, Charles Seger, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. Me-

Kinley, Jr., Geo. Connell, H. F. Kennedy, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, George E. Dorwart, David G. Frankenfield.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue, will pass; that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 164.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Ardleigh, Bambrey, Clearfield, Etting, Fawn, Herbert, Langdon, Latona, Loudon, Manton and Oxford streets; Columbia and Lancaster avenues,” respectfully report that we have care-

fully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D'Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers in Ardleigh, Bambrey, Clearfield, Etting, Fawn, Herbert, Langdon, Latona, Loudon, Manton and Oxford streets; Columbia and Lancaster avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in Ardleigh street, from Price to Haines street; Bambrey street, from Morris to Moore street; Clearfield street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-fourth street; Etting street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Fawn street, from Kenilworth to Fitzwater street; Herbert street, from Langdon street to Summerdale avenue; Langdon street, from The Boulevard to Foulkrod street; Latona street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; Loudon street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Manton street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Oxford street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Columbia avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; and Lancaster avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-ninth street.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise, according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above authorized, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of the said contracts that the contractors shall accept the sums assessed upon the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above the said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, shall

be charged to any item for the construction of branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, That in all cases where the property on the lines of the sewers herein authorized is assessed at suburban rates the owners of property shall first file an agreement to pay the regular frontage charges: *And provided further*, That no permits shall be issued for the drainage of any properties on the line of said Lancaster avenue until the regular frontage charges shall be paid.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to pay for inspections, borings and expenses incidental to the work of constructing said branch sewers from the item for construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 165.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan of Guenther, Herbert, Luray, Monmouth, Thelma and Watkins streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D’Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the placing on the City plan of Guenther, Herbert, Luray, Monmouth, Thelma and Watkins streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to place on the City plan Guenther street, of the width of forty feet, from Morris to Moore street; Herbert street, of the width of fifty feet, from Castor avenue to Ramona avenue, and from Langdon street to Summerdale avenue; Luray street, of the width of forty feet, from Sixth to Seventh street, and from D to Whitaker street; Monmouth street, of the width of fifty feet, from Chatham to Gaul street; Thelma street, of the width of forty feet, from D to Whitaker street; and Watkins street, of the width of forty feet, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street: *Provided*, That before said streets, except Monmouth street, shall be placed on the plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades.

APPENDIX No. 166.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh and

Twelfth street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision is for the purpose of widening Chestnut street at this place from its present width of sixty feet to sixty-two feet. It will entail no damages on the part of the City. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D'Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh street and Twelfth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines of Chestnut street, between Eleventh street and Twelfth street, by widening said Chestnut street one foot on the north side and one foot on the south side, making the total width of Chestnut street, from Eleventh street to Twelfth street, sixty-two feet, to correspond with the title lines of the deeds in this square and with the width fixed in a certain agreement dated the 15th day of March, 1806, and recorded in Deed Book E. F. No. 24, page 68, which released and confirmed unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for public use this additional width, and mutually bound the abutting owners, under a penalty, to conform to such widened line.

APPENDIX No. 167.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street; and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh to Etting street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision is for the purpose of rounding off the two right-angled corners on the east and west sides of Twenty-seventh street, eighty feet north of Allegheny avenue, with curves having a radius of eight feet, and to widen Willard street from its present width of forty feet to a width of fifty feet, the increased width to be made on the south footway thereof. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D’Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street; and to widen Willard street, from Twenty-seventh street to Etting street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines of Twenty-seventh street, between Allegheny avenue and Willard street, so as to curve the right-angle corners on the east and west side of Twenty-seventh street at the distance of eighty feet northward from Allegheny avenue; and to widen Willard street on the south side so as to make the width fifty feet between Twenty-seventh

street and Etting street: *Provided*, That within one year from the approval of this ordinance the owners of the property affected shall first file deeds of dedication for the corners to be rounded on Twenty-seventh street and the widened portion of Willard street.

APPENDIX No. 168.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street, University avenue and Vintage avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision is particularly urgent because an ordinance was approved on September 6, 1916, appropriating sixty thousand (60,000) dollars for the erection of a portion of the south approach of the bridge on the line of Thirty-fourth street over the Schuylkill river, between Grays Ferry avenue and University avenue. Thirty-fourth street, between Grays Ferry avenue and the Schuylkill river, is on the City plan, but no grades have been established. We therefore return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D’Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street,
University avenue and Vintage avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Thirty-fourth street and University avenue, from Grays Ferry avenue to Woodland avenue; and of Vintage avenue, from University avenue to a point about twelve hundred feet northeastward therefrom, so as to provide for the construction of a bridge, or bridges, with proper approaches thereto, on the line of Thirty-fourth street and University avenue across the Schuylkill river and the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad northward therefrom.

APPENDIX No. 169.

Philadelphia, October 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan and vacating Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The bed of this street is required by the Board of Recreation to unite the two tracts of land controlled by them on either side of Chatham street into one continuous playground. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Harry Keene, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, J. H. Shaw, Wm. Boal, H. Edgar Barnes, James E. Walsh, John L. Dougherty, George D’Autruchy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the striking from the City plan and vacating Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to strike from the City plan and vacate Chatham street, from Ann to Monmouth street.

APPENDIX No. 170.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobb's Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobb's Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

APPENDIX No. 171.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the employment of temporary inspectors on the paving of streets, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department

of Public Works be authorized to employ temporary inspectors at the rate of eighty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$82.50) and one hundred dollars (\$100.00) each per month, on the work of paving streets, and pay the salaries of said inspectors out of the items for paving intersections.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 172.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on building construction work incident to the improvement of small parks and squares, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of a temporary inspector on building construction work incident to the improvement of various parks and squares now authorized, at a rate not exceeding five (5) dollars per day, chargeable against Loan Items 52, 62, 160 and 170, appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property).

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 173.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the appointment of a temporary inspector on the general improvements of various parks and squares now authorized, Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property), and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of a temporary inspector on the general improvements of various parks and squares now authorized, at a rate not exceeding four (4) dollars per day, chargeable against Loan Items 52, 62, 160 and 170, appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property).

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 174.

RESOLUTION

To approve lease of storeyard for the Seventh Highway District, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the lease of property situated at Oxford Pike and the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, and owned by George T. Sales, Pennsylvania Build-

ing, Philadelphia, at a rental of sixty (60) dollars per month, from July first, nineteen hundred and sixteen, as a storeyard for the Division of Bridges and Sewers and for the Seventh Highway District, be and the same is hereby approved. A description of said property follows: All that certain lot or piece of ground beginning at a stake for a corner in the middle of the Kensington and Oxford Turnpike and in the west line of the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, thence along the middle of said Turnpike north 6 degrees 30 minutes west 468 feet to a point in line of land of the estate of Edward S. Handy, which point is at the distance of 395 feet south from the line of land of Henry K. Pearson; thence by land of the estate of Edward S. Handy, south 79 degrees 30 minutes east 110 feet to the west line of the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad; thence along same south 6 degrees 57 minutes west 288 feet to a point, which is 38 feet 6 inches east from the first mentioned line; thence continuing the same course along the said railroad the further distance of about 165 feet to beginning.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 175.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, October 18, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request by resolution of even date, I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 180, entitled:

“An Ordinance condemning Cobb’s Creek Park,
from the south line of Vine street and west side of

Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the southeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 176.

ANNUAL BUDGET STATEMENT OF THE CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, October 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved June 11, 1879, as amended May 9, 1913, I have the honor to submit herewith the annual budget statement for 1917, containing departmental estimates of requirements, estimates of general and loan funds available, balance sheets showing financial condition (actual and estimated) and statements of operating results (actual and estimated).

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES OF REQUIREMENTS FOR 1917

The various departments and bureaus have estimated their 1917 requirements, as follows:

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE	Total	Departments under the Mayor	Departments not under the Mayor
GRAND TOTAL.....	\$ 63 514 284 03	\$ 44 462 327 75	\$ 19 051 956 28
Personal Services (salaries, wages, fees and special services)	\$ 17 707 766 00	\$ 13 350 335 00	\$ 4 357 431 00
Services Other Than Personal (transportation, subsistence, communication, printing, furnishing of heat, light, power and electricity, repairs).....	6 846 629 69	5 949 932 69	896 697 00
Materials	503 220 45	445 770 45	57 450 00
Supplies	3 298 429 85	3 033 684 85	264 745 00
Equipment	2 362 651 51	2 260 351 51	102 300 00
Structures and non-structural improvements.....	18 660 114 00	18 658 314 00	1 800 00
Land	3 000 00	—	3 000 00
Payment of Debt and Obligations.....	6 406 308 41	—	6 406 308 41
Payment on Non-Sinking Fund Debt.....	\$ 966 000 00	—	\$ 966 000 00
Payment on Sinking Fund Debt.....	4 240 308 41	—	4 240 308 41
Mandamuses	1 200 000 00	—	1 200 000 00
Fixed Charges.....	7 657 664 12	763 939 25	6 893 724 87
Interest on Non-Sinking Fund Debt.....	\$ 194 778 75	—	\$ 194 778 75
Interest on Sinking Fund Debt.....	6 105 100 12	—	6 105 100 12
State Tax on Loans.....	330 000 00	—	330 000 00
Miscellaneous Fixed Charges.....	1 027 785 25	763 939 25	263 846 00
Pensions	66 000 00	—	66 000 00
Payments Arising from the Relation of Agent....	2 500 00	—	2 500 00

The character of expenditure of these departmental estimates follow

CHARACTER OF EXPENDITURE	Total	Departments under the Mayor	Departments not under the Mayor
GRAND TOTAL-----	\$ 63 514 284 03	\$ 44 462 327 75	\$ 19 051 956 2
CURRENT EXPENSES, FIXED CHARGES AND DEBT PAYMENTS -----	\$ 43 152 286 23	\$ 24 189 079 95	\$ 18 963 206 2
Administration -----	\$ 4 523 425 00	\$ 650 079 00	\$ 3 873 346 0
Operation -----	20 870 058 74	19 254 636 74	1 621 422 0
Other Expense -----	2 237 039 75	762 893 75	1 474 146 0
Repairs -----	2 858 197 75	2 766 972 75	91 225 0
Replacements -----	772 877 71	754 497 71	18 380 0
Interest and State Tax on Debt-----	6 629 878 87	—	6 629 878 8
Payment of Debt-----	5 206 308 41	—	5 206 308 4
All Other Expenditures-----	48 500 00	—	48 500 0
PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS-----	\$ 20 361 997 80	\$ 20 273 247 80	\$ 88 750 0

An analysis of these estimated requirements by object of expenditure to be made by departments direct and to be made for departments by department of supplies, including that department's expenditures for itself, follows:

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE	Total	To be Purchased by Departments direct	To be Purchased by Department o Supplies
GRAND TOTAL-----	\$ 63 514 284 03	\$ 59 524 944 53	\$ 3 989 339 5
TOTAL—Departments Under the Mayor-----	\$ 44 462 327 75	\$ 40 472 988 25	\$ 3 989 339 5
TOTAL—Departments Not Under the Mayor-----	\$ 19 051 956 28	\$ 19 051 956 28	—
Personal Services-----	\$ 17 707 706 00	\$ 17 643 976 00	\$ 63 790 0
Services Other Than Personal-----	6 846 629 69	6 807 921 50	38 708 1
Materials -----	503 220 45	83 907 00	419 313 4
Supplies -----	3 298 429 85	563 662 50	2 734 767 3
Equipment and Parts-----	2 362 651 51	1 889 605 00	473 046 5
Structures and Non-Structural Improvements--	18 060 114 00	18 400 400 00	259 714 0
Land -----	3 000 00	3 000 00	—
Payment of Debt and Obligations-----	6 406 308 41	6 406 308 41	—
Fixed Charges-----	7 657 664 12	7 657 664 12	—
Pensions -----	66 000 00	66 000 00	—
Payments Arising from the Relation of Agent--	2 500 00	2 500 00	—

A comparison of the estimated requirements for 1917 by objects of expenditure with the appropriations for 1916 and the expenditures for 1915 similarly classified follows:

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE	1917 Estimated Expenditures	1916 Appropriations	1915 Actual Expenditures
GRAND TOTAL-----	\$ 63 514 284 03	\$ 61 509 741 68	\$ 42 545 651 42
Personal Services-----	\$ 17 707 766 00	\$ 14 839 066 45	\$ 14 421 073 62
Services Other Than Personal-----	6 846 629 69	6 937 049 97	6 197 660 56
Materials -----	503 220 45	408 829 25	418 901 88
Supplies -----	3 298 429 85	3 004 526 27	2 518 328 86
Equipment -----	2 362 651 51	1 675 198 11	995 014 90
Structures and Non-Structural Improvements-----	18 660 114 00	22 472 710 73	6 968 110 31
Land -----	3 000 00	785 125 42	893 912 23
Payment of Debt and Obligations-----	6 406 308 41	5 062 715 63	4 068 649 05
Fixed Charges-----	7 657 664 12	6 187 436 05	6 041 138 27
Pensions -----	66 000 00	126 373 93	18 412 00
Payments Arising from the Relation of Agent-----	2 500 00	7 310 00	4 320 00
Contingencies -----	—	3 399 87	129 74

The departments have estimated their requirements for 1917 at \$63,514,284.03, of which \$43,152,286.23 is for current expenses, fixed charges and payment of debt, and \$20,361,997.80 for the acquisition of additional property and equipment. The estimate for current expenses includes \$400,000 and the estimate for permanent improvements \$800,000 for mandamuses.

It would require a tax rate of \$1.63 $\frac{3}{4}$ per \$100 of valuation of taxable property, together with the estimated receipts from the personal property tax and miscellaneous sources, to produce an amount sufficient to give the departments and bureaus everything asked for current expenses, fixed charges and payment of debt, all of which are lawful obligations and must be paid out of current taxation and miscellaneous current revenues in accordance with the "Pay-As-You-Go" Act of June 11, 1879. Such a rate would be impossible, and I have, therefore, prepared calculations that show the amount available at \$1.20, at \$1.35 and at \$1.50 per \$100 of valuation of taxable property in addition to the calculation showing the amount available at the present tax rate of \$1 per \$100 (see page 364). Any of these higher rates will add materially to the funds available for appropriation.

The estimated requirements for the additional property and equipment will have to be ignored for the reason that at present the borrowing capacity is practically exhausted. By February 1, 1917, there will be additional borrowing capacity, at which time some of these projects can be provided for if your Honorable Bodies see fit.

GENERAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION FOR 1917

The City Controller's legal estimate of receipts for 1917, made in conformity with the Act of June 11, 1879, as amended May 9, 1913, is as follows:

Real Estate as per tax of \$1 per \$100, less average uncollected....	\$ 16 108 678 45
Personal Property Tax, at 4 mills, less average uncollected.....	2 286 252 31
Estimated receipts, based on five year average:	
Delinquent Taxes	1 321 190 09
United Gas Improvement Company.....	1 665 389 58
Water Rents, Meter Rents, etc.....	4 980 201 91
Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.....	502 045 31
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company:	
Series "N" Subway Loan of \$6,000,000 of 1894.....	150 000 00
Proportion of Interest—Subway Loan.....	48 772 50
School District of Philadelphia—Principal and Interest on	
City Loans for School Purposes.....	389 956 20
Miscellaneous Departmental Receipts.....	4 900 870 97
TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.....	\$ 32 353 357 32

LAWFUL OBLIGATIONS TO BE DEDUCTED:

Interest due May 1, 1917.....	\$ 10 350 00
Interest due July 1, 1917.....	87 039 38
Interest due November 1, 1917....	10 350 00
Interest due January 1, 1918.....	87 039 37
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	\$ 194 778 75

\$ 4 600 000 Loan, April 1, 1890,	
Series "R", due Nov. 1, 1917	\$'230 000 00
1 000 000 Loan, Sept. 16, 1892.	
Series "P", due Dec. 31, 1917	50 000 00
3 500 000 Loan, Feb. 6, 1893,	
Series "O", due Dec. 31, 1917	175 000 00
1 100 000 Loan, April 3, 1894,	
Series "N", due Dec. 31, 1917	55 000 00
3 000 000 Loan, April 3, 1894.	
Series "N", due Dec. 31, 1917	150 000 00
2 720 000 Loan, Nov. 8, 1894,	
Series "N", due Dec. 31, 1917	136 000 00
1 200 000 Loan, June 18, 1895,	
Series "M", due Dec. 31, 1917	60 000 00
1 200 000 Loan, Sept. 16, 1895,	
Series "M", due Dec. 31, 1917	60 000 00
1 000 000 Loan, Dec. 10, 1895,	
Series "M", due Dec. 31, 1917	50 000 00
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	966 000 00

Sinking Fund for the year 1917
from general fund:

Interest on Loans.....	\$ 4 987 632 00
Reserve to pay Funded Debt	2 986 238 76
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	7 973 870 76

Amount carried forward. \$ 32 353 357 32

Amount brought forward.....	\$ 32 353 357 32	
Estimated Sinking Funds and Interest on New Loans that may be Issued in 1917:		
Interest on Loans.....	\$ 717 468 12	
Reserve to pay Funded Debt	1 166 658 25	
	<hr/>	1 884 126 37
State Tax on City Loans.....		330 000 00
Installment on Mortgage of \$1,000,000 on Property at Broad and Arch Streets.....		100 000 00
Mothers' Pension Fund.....		20 000 00
Support of Indigent Insane at State Institutions		20 000 00
Mandamuses (estimated) for the year 1917 from general fund		400 000 00
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Total Lawful Obligations to be Deducted.....		11 888 775 88
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AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR DEPARTMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL FUND		\$ 20 464 581 44
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The gross amount available for appropriation for the year 1917, at the tax rate of \$1 per \$100, after deducting lawful allowances for average uncollected and adding estimated receipts from the personal property tax and the average miscellaneous general account receipts for the preceding five years, is \$32,353,357.32, which is an increase of \$526,268.61 over the estimated receipts, \$31,827,088.71, for 1916. Deducting the lawful obligations, which amount to \$11,888,775.88, leaves a net balance for departmental appropriation of \$20,464,581.44, or a decrease of \$1,756,849.39, under the funds available for appropriation for departmental purposes for 1916. This large decrease in funds available for departmental appropriation is entirely due to the unusual increase in lawful obligations, the principal part of which increase has been caused by the current expense deficiency loan of \$4,974,203, of June 29, 1916, being made payable in five years instead of in thirty years, the customary life of city loans. The annual sinking fund and interest charges upon this five-year loan amount to \$1,117,955.91, whereas on a thirty-year loan they would be only \$294,008.82. The remainder of the increase in the lawful obligations arises from the unusually large amount of loans sold and to be sold in 1916, \$17,860,000, whereas the average for the five preceding years was but \$6,478,250. The lawful obligations for next year also include provision for the issue of \$25,599,200 of new loans in 1917, which new loans will be absolutely required if the estimates of expenditures under loan funds appropriations (see page 386) are adhered to.

The estimate of the board of revision of taxes of the assessed valuation of real estate for 1917 shows an increase of \$36,438,200 over its

estimate of a year ago, and the estimate of the assessed valuation of personal property (money at interest, horses and cattle and carriages to hire) shows an increase of \$49,880,000 over that of the preceding year, which increases account for a large part of the above increase in the general fund estimated receipts for 1917. The five-year average of miscellaneous receipts produces an increase in the 1917 estimate of \$117,673.28.

The general funds now available for appropriation for 1917 may be increased at the closing of the year's books at December 31, 1916, by any merging balance of general fund appropriations and by any excess of general account receipts over the city controller's estimated receipts for 1916. The actual receipts in the first nine months of 1916 show an increase of \$922,128.29, when compared with those of the same period of 1915, leaving \$3,424,824.67, or 10.8 per cent. of the estimate to be collected

General Fund	1916	Per cent.	1915	Per cent.
City Controller's Estimated Receipts-----	\$ 31 827 088 71	100.0%	\$ 31 475 448 64	100.0%
Receipts Applicable January 1 to September 30----	28 402 264 04	89.2%	27 480 135 75	87.3%
Uncollected portion of Estimated Receipts September 30 -----	\$ 3 424 824 67	10.8%	\$ 3 995 312 89	12.7%

For a detailed comparison of 1916 and 1915 receipts see page 384.

in the remaining three months of this year, whereas \$3,995,312.89, or 12.7 per cent., remained to be collected in the same period of a year ago. I have estimated that the actual receipts to be collected during the remaining quarter of this year will exceed my estimate by \$960,000.00. Adding to these excess receipts the estimated merging balances at the close of this year produces an estimated fund surplus of \$1,410,000.00 (see page 366.)

If this estimated surplus is realized, your Honorable Bodies should be in a much more comfortable position financially at the beginning of 1917 than you were in January, 1916. The city controller's estimate for 1917, together with the estimated surplus, will, if the latter is realized, give a total of \$33,763,357.32 of current funds available at the beginning of 1917, whereas the similar amount available at the beginning of 1916 was \$31,970,592.56, out of which latter amount \$1,200,000 had to be paid for the temporary loan incurred just before the close of 1915, and \$14,400 for interest thereon.

LOAN FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR 1916

At January 1, 1916, there were unexpended balances of loan fund appropriations amounting to \$23,721,492.97 and \$1,402,685.36 of funds available for appropriation. Of the latter, \$1,400,000 was an unappropriated balance of the \$11,300,000 (1915) loan and \$2,685.36 was made up of sundry merging balances of loan fund appropriations under \$500, as authorized by Ordinance of Councils of June 17, 1914 (see city controller's 1915 annual report, page 7).

The \$42,450,797 general improvement loan, the \$4,974,203 current expense and deficiency loan, and the \$67,100,000 transit loan, all of which received an affirmative vote of the people at an election held May 16, 1916, were finally authorized by City Councils on June 29, 1916. These loans and the loan funds available mentioned above have since been appropriated by your Honorable Bodies with the exception of \$800,909.73. The \$4,974,203 loan, though unnegotiated, has been placed upon the appropriation ledgers in accordance with the Consolidated Loan Act of June 5, 1915, but, owing to the other two loans aggregating over \$100,000,000, it was thought advisable not to place them upon the appropriation ledgers until a portion of each was sold and the proceeds in the treasury to meet payments thereunder. Accordingly, \$7,500,000 of the \$42,450,797 loan and \$2,500,000 of the \$67,100,000 loan will be offered for sale in October. Bids will be opened October 31 and the loans will be dated November 1, 1916.

Sufficient funds were provided in the \$42,450,797 loan to pay all the liabilities of the city for various authorized improvements totaling \$29,636,797, as required by decision of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in *Schuldice vs. Pittsburgh* (251 Pa. 28).

The \$67,100,000 loan is for fifty years, whereas all previous loans of the city have never been for a greater period than thirty years, which was the limit placed upon loans by the State Constitution prior to the amendment thereto adopted by vote of the people November 2, 1915. The sinking fund and interest charges on the \$67,100,000 loan will be paid out of the proceeds of the loan during construction of the transit and port facilities and for the first year of operation. It will be necessary for the city controller to obtain estimates from the director of the department of public works and the director of the department of wharves, docks and ferries as to the length of time required for construction in order that he may set aside an adequate amount from the various portions of this loan as each is sold.

The borrowing capacity of the city for transit and port facilities September 30, 1916, is \$2,998,004.46.

The borrowing capacity for other permanent improvements and for general purposes is practically exhausted.

ESTIMATE OF LOAN FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR 1917

In addition to such balances of loan funds available during the remainder of 1916 as shall be unexpended at the close of the year, and thus available for 1917, it is estimated that the increase in the actual assessed valuation of taxable property, together with payments of debt and increase in the investment of the sinking fund in city loans, will make a further amount of \$14,916,275.56 available for loan authorization and appropriation in 1917 requiring vote of the people.

Of this estimated additional borrowing capacity for 1917 it is estimated that \$6,248,206.02 will be available solely for transit and port facilities and that the remainder will be available for general purposes and for permanent improvements.

A proposed amendment to Section 8 of Article IX of the State Constitution, which was passed by the Legislature in 1915, and must be passed again by that body in 1917, and receive an affirmative vote of the people at the November, 1917, election before it becomes a part of the Constitution, will, if adopted, remove the restriction contained in the Constitutional Amendment adopted by vote of the people on November 2, 1915, viz., that the additional 3 per cent. borrowing capacity may only be used for transit facilities, etc., and makes the borrowing capacity of the city of Philadelphia 10 per cent. of the assessed valuation of taxable property without restriction as to the purpose for which it can be used, except that contained in the Act of July 21, 1913, P. L. 868, which made the assessed valuation of taxable personal property available as a basis only for loans for permanent improvements.

This proposed amendment for 1917 removes another restriction, namely: that in incurring indebtedness for *any purpose* the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty years. The 1915 constitutional amendment authorized a fifty-year life for loans for transit and port facilities, but the thirty-year provision of the Constitution still governs other classes of loans. The 1917 amendment will completely remove the thirty-year restriction and permit *all* loans, no matter for what purpose, to have a life of fifty years, thereby reducing the carrying charges for sinking fund and interest from 6 per cent. to less than 5 per cent.

THE CITY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION

From January 1, 1901, to date the net expenditure of current revenue for permanent improvements and the net expenditure of loan moneys for current expenses, together with the tax rate in each of these years, follows:

Year	Net Expenditure of Current Revenue for Permanent Improvements	Net Expenditure of Loan Moneys for Current Expenses	Tax Rate
1901.....	\$ 3 704 307 90	—	\$ 1 85
1902.....	4 262 143 40	—	1 85
1903.....	4 380 336 26	—	1 85
1904.....	3 725 587 95	—	1 50
1905.....	3 048 210 80	—	1 50
1906.....	3 413 616 87	—	1 50
1907.....	3 764 094 22	—	1 50
1908.....	1 085 737 95	—	1 50
1909.....	2 370 193 48	—	1 50
1910.....	227 101 74	—	1 50
1911.....	1 740 937 19	—	1 50
1912.....	—	\$ 2 072 779 91	1 50*
1913.....	—	1 749 135 50	1 50*
1914.....	—	347 655 16	1 50*
1915.....	—	305 429 01	1 50*
†1916.....	—	535 615 51	1 50*
Totals	\$ 31 722 267 76	\$ 5 010 615 09	

The reduction in tax rate in 1904 was accompanied by a large increase in assessed valuations, resulting in considerably larger revenues at the new rate of \$1.50 per \$100 of valuation than at the old rate of \$1.85, as follows:

Year	Tax Rate	Assessed Valuation	Receipts from Current Taxes
1903	\$ 1 85	\$ 941 895 710 00	\$ 15 694 438 82
1904	1 50	1 215 750 635 00	16 351 105 94

The above table shows very clearly that there was no shortage of revenue prior to 1912, but that in the eleven years from 1901 to 1911, inclusive, there was \$31,722,267.76 of current tax moneys used for permanent improvements. A considerable portion of this money was paid out in satisfaction of mandamuses for the acquisition of property for parks, boulevards and other purposes, and for various improvements of a perma-

† To September 30.

* \$1.00 for city purposes; \$0.50 for school purposes.

nent nature, such as opening and widening streets, change of grade and construction of sewers. Prior to 1912 the city treasury was in such an excellent condition that it was possible to pay all mandamuses, whether for permanent improvements or for damages or other current expenses, out of ordinary revenues. In addition, all the ordinary running expenses of the city government were paid out of current funds and a balance remained for permanent improvements. Since the beginning of 1912 to September 30, 1916, there has been a net expenditure of loan moneys for current expenses of \$5,010,615.09.

A temporary loan of \$1,200,000 was resorted to in 1911 and had to be paid in 1912, together with deficiency bills of \$790,546.17, making a total of \$1,990,546.17 of floating debt carried over from 1911 that had to be paid in 1912. There was, however, a fund surplus at the close of 1911 of \$2,040,427.81, which was sufficient to pay the above-mentioned floating debt and leave a balance of \$49,881.64 for use in 1912 over and above all of the floating indebtedness of 1911. The city, therefore, commenced operating in 1912 without a penny of floating debt that was not covered by current funds available to pay same at the close of 1911. I emphasize this condition because 1912 is the first year in which there was a net use of loan moneys for current expenses. This use of loan moneys continued during 1913, 1914 and 1915. The average annual increase in current receipts available for appropriation in the years from 1912 to 1915, inclusive, was \$662,879.88, whereas the average annual increase in expenditures chargeable thereto, including current expenses, fixed charges and payment of debt, was \$1,165,289.06.

At the close of 1915 the temporary loan of \$1,200,000, the deficiency bills and outstanding mandamuses exceeded the fund surplus by \$1,225,630.70, which is a decided contrast with the current financial condition of the city at the close of 1911, as indicated above.

There should be no mystery in the mind of any one as to the causes for this very unfavorable change in the financial condition of the city. They are as follows:

(1) On January 1, 1912, the Board of Public Education became a separate corporate body (The School District of Philadelphia) with a tax rate of \$0.50 per \$100 of valuation, and the city tax rate at the same time was made \$1 per \$100 of valuation. Thus, the combined rate—\$1.50—was the same that had obtained since 1904, but, nevertheless, the separation of the Board of Education from the other city and county functions gave the former \$821,400.36 more of revenue in 1912 than it enjoyed in

1911, and to that extent reduced the revenue available for the other functions of the city and county government. I have commented at length upon this subject in annual reports and budget statements. (annual reports of 1912, page 9; 1913, page 17; 1914, page 11; and 1915, page 12, and budget statement for 1916, page 12).

(2) The city since 1911 has undertaken a number of new functions and activities and has expanded many of its older functions and activities at a rate much more rapid than the increase in its revenues from taxes and other current sources. I am taking no issue with the merit or wisdom of this course. I am merely recording what took place. These enlarged activities were more moderate in their demands in 1912, 1913 and 1914, as may be observed from the fact that we had in these years an average annual operating deficit of \$1,140,525.26. But in 1915 they broke all bounds and resulted in an excess of current expenditures over current revenues of \$2,574,125.06.

Considering the increase in expenditures from the standpoint of objects, \$14,909,137.21 was paid for personal services in 1915, which was an increase of \$2,293,059.62 over the similar expenditures in 1911—an increase of 18 per cent. The following table compares the several objects of expenditure of 1915 with 1911, as well as various sources of revenue:

	1915	1911	Increase	% Inc.
Personal Services	\$ 14 909 137 21	\$ 12 616 077 59	\$ 2 293 059 62	18½%
Services Other Than Personal.....	6 320 285 13	5 872 215 55	448 069 58	7½%
Materials and Supplies.....	2 945 833 92	2 410 068 90	535 765 02	22½%
Interest and State Tax.....	4 871 225 28	4 094 599 69	776 625 59	18.9%
Payment of Debt and Sinking Fund.....	3 758 491 75	3 339 483 25	419 008 50	17.6%
Total Current Expenditures.....	33 708 934 62	28 485 117 32	5 223 817 30	18.5%
Assessed Valuation:				
Real Estate	\$ 1 674 623 141 00	\$ 1 518 085 645 00	\$ 156 537 496 00	10½%
Horses and Cattle.....	1 885 707 00	2 042 140 00	156 433 00	7¾%
Personal Property	645 267 259 70	611 619 261 78	33 647 997 92	5½%
Water Revenues Receivable.....	5 185 414 20	4 905 875 03	279 539 17	5¾%
Retail Liquor Licenses.....	1 918 489 97	1 961 448 75	42 958 78	2¼%
Total Revenues	31 134 809 56	28 774 942 20	2 359 867 36	8.2%

The principal increases in salaries and the amounts of such increases in 1915 compared with 1911 follow:

Name of Department or Bureau	Personal Services Increase
City Commissioners	\$ 500 000 00
Fairmount Park	335 000 00
Police	300 000 00
Highways	250 000 00
City Transit	211 000 00

Surveys	110 000 00
Recreation	100 000 00
Charities	92 000 00
Health	75 000 00
Sheriff	54 000 00
Fire	40 000 00
Wharves, Docks and Ferries.....	40 000 00
District Attorney	23 000 00
Coroner	21 000 00
Clerk of the Courts.....	20 000 00
Building Inspection	16 000 00
Prothonotary	15 000 00
Register of Wills	15 000 00
Correction	9 000 00
Director's Office—Works	8 000 00
Holmesburg Prison	7 000 00
Reed Street Prison.....	6 000 00
Art Jury	3 000 00
Totals	\$ 2 250 000 00

The rapid increase in current expenses in 1915 is reflected in the difficulty that attended the current financing of the city during 1916. At the close of 1915 the temporary loan of \$1,200,000, together with the deficiency bills and outstanding mandamuses, exceeded the fund surplus by \$1,225,630.70, whereas at the close of 1911 the fund surplus available for appropriation exceeded the temporary loan and deficiency bills, by \$49,881.64. There was no corresponding increase in current revenues in 1915 to meet the large increase in current expenditures. They were met by resorting to a temporary loan which had to be paid in 1916, and, in addition, there was practically no fund surplus.

The following table comparing the current funds available in 1915 with those in 1916 shows a decrease in the latter year of \$3,500,000:

Source of Appropriations	General Fund	
	1916 Appropriations	1915 Appropriations
Non-merging Balances carried forward from previous year	\$ 656 005 33	\$ 912 936 29
General Fund Surplus Available.....	143 503 85	1 405 005 20
City Controller's Legal Esti- mate Appropriated\$ 31 827 088 71		
From which deduct:		
Payment of 1915 tempo- rary loan 1 200 000 00	30 627 088 71	31 474 094 03
Temporary Loan	—	1 200 000 00
Refunds Available for Reappropriation.....	37 975 29	15 000 00
Totals.....	\$ 31 464 573 18	\$ 35 007 035 52

These unfavorable financial conditions which have existed since 1912, and which have been fully set forth in my annual reports and budget statements to your Honorable Bodies, emphasize the fact that the time has arrived when the problem of equalization of taxation must be met and solved in an intelligent, dispassionate and scientific manner by obtaining other objects of taxation than real estate and thereby obviating the placing of the whole burden of providing additional revenue permanently upon the latter.

The former administration attempted to obtain additional revenue by enumerating innumerable objects of taxation, a large number of which were utterly impossible of accomplishment (which recommendations were recently again revived and transmitted for action to the Finance Committee). Almost all the objects suggested require the action of the State Legislature and the relinquishment of a portion of revenue that now goes into the State Treasury.

In my judgment, after a practical experience of thirty years in the municipal government of this city, any effort to obtain such legislation is a waste of time and energy, with possibly one or two exceptions, as it has been recently shown by State officials that the Commonwealth requires all the income it can obtain under its present system of taxation, and the demands made upon it, like our own, are constantly increasing.

In the solution of the problem of an equitable increase in taxation above suggested, to save time which is absolutely essential, decide upon objects that are feasible, definite and practicable; for instance, take the total average annual income of the city and county from fees, licenses, permits, fines and other miscellaneous sources, a large percentage of which is based upon legislation enacted many years ago, and which in this progressive age is quite or almost obsolete. The present scale of charges for this class of income should be increased fifty (50) to one hundred (100) per cent. for all departments. Detailed schedules showing the great multiplicity of receipts of this class and the many departments in which they occur, are to be found in the city controller's annual report for 1915, pages 61 to 74. Your action in making said increases would be sustained by the increased expenses involved in conducting the business of the different city and county offices.

Vaults

Permits to construct vaults yield a mere pittance in proportion to the powers conferred mostly to corporations and companies of large capital and surplus without the payment of any cash value or consideration to use almost in perpetuity land belonging to the city acquired by the

tax payers' money. This valuable privilege should be revised and regulated by your Honorable Bodies by the payment of an annual rental upon each and every square foot of ground used beyond the building line based upon the assessed valuation of the land upon which the building is erected. This revision would add largely to the income paid into the city treasury through the bureau of highways.

State Tax on Loans

The annual state tax on loans, amounting in 1915 to \$266,055.39, should be remitted by the State. The large increase in loans authorized and to be expended during the next five years for permanent improvements will increase annually the sinking fund and interest charges by approximately \$1,500,000. Many millions of the loans authorized will be spent by the department of wharves, docks and ferries in the enlargement and betterment of port and harbor facilities, in which State pride should enter to the extent of remitting the above-mentioned tax and thereby contributing annually to this contemplated City and State improvement.

The above legislation and that pertaining to certain fee bills of the county officers (prothonotary, sheriff, etc.) is all that will require the action of the State Legislature. All other changes suggested, *and many more which could be made* that would result in increased revenues to the city treasury from miscellaneous sources other than taxes can be enacted by your Honorable Bodies.

If councilmanic legislation can be enacted before the end of the year upon the recommendations above made for increased revenue, it is fair to estimate an additional income of \$1,250,000, which, together with the anticipated surplus of actual over estimated receipts and merging balances amounting to \$1,410,000, and the increase of \$526,268.61 in the estimated receipts for 1917, as well as a further increase of water receipts now pending before Councils of \$400,000, makes a total net increase in current revenue for 1917 of \$3,586,000, equivalent to an increase in the tax rate of approximately twenty (20) cents.

The above amounts, together with additional revenue, such as state tax on city loans, etc., which, if it can be obtained through the Legislature of 1917, should be sufficient to provide for the present deficiencies in current revenue.

If legislation cannot be effected to obtain sufficient revenue to meet expenditures for 1917 without resorting to additional taxation upon real estate, it should be done only after exhausting all other avenues for objects

of taxation. I, therefore, respectfully and earnestly urge that whatever action is taken in reference to additional income from real estate shall be understood to be of a temporary character until relief can be obtained in other directions, and that said relief shall be effected, if possible, before business and financial reverses occur, that the small taxpayer, who is acquiring his house through annual payments to building and loan associations, the number of members of which (I am reliably informed) exceeds 300,000, may not be called upon to again make sacrifices such as prevailed in the years 1913 and 1914 to retain what equity they had acquired in their properties.

The present tax rate has been a great incentive to skilled and unskilled labor to acquire their homes, and every such acquisition contributes largely to the mental, physical and moral uplift and the cultivation of a civic pride, the value of which to the city is beyond estimation.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION REQUIRED FOR INTEREST ON NEW LOANS IN 1916

Your Honorable Bodies are advised that there is a shortage in the present balance of appropriation item 4-c of the annual appropriation to the department of city treasurer for interest on new loans of \$125-550.63. It is imperative that an additional appropriation or transfer of this amount be made to this appropriation item out of general funds before the close of the current year. The balance in appropriation item 4-c, department of city treasurer, for sinking fund on new loans, is \$25-937.78 in excess of requirements, and this amount is, therefore, available for transfer. A table, showing the condition of these two appropriation items, follows:

	Sinking Fund	Interest	Total
LOANS SOLD IN 1916:			
January 1— \$ 5,360,000.....	\$ 102 412 02	\$ 214 400 00	\$ 316 812 02
July 1 — 5,000,000.....	47 766 80	100 000 00	147 766 80
LOANS TO BE SOLD IN 1916:			
November 1— \$ 7,500,000.....	23 883 40	50 000 00	73 883 40
November 1— * 2,500,000.....	—	—	—
Total for 1916.....	\$ 174 032 22	\$ 364 400 00	\$ 538 432 22
Already paid to Sinking Fund (1st, 2nd and 3rd quarters—1916)	100 692 41	210 800 00	311 492 41
Balance due Sinking Fund for 1916.....	\$ 73 369 81	\$ 153 600 00	\$ 226 969 81
Appropriation balance—September 30, 1916.....	99 307 59	28 049 37	127 356 96
Appropriation over	\$ 25 937 78	—	—
Appropriation short	—	\$ 125 550 63	—
Net appropriation shortage	—	—	\$ 99 612 85

* \$ 67,100,000 transit and port loan—Sinking fund and interest out of loan money.

RECAPITULATION

Additional appropriation required for interest on new loans.....	\$ 125 550 63
Surplus available for transfer in appropriation for sinking fund on new loans.....	25 937 78
Must be provided by transfer from some other general fund appropriation.....	\$ 99 612 85

FUNDED DEBT

The funded debt of the city on January 1, 1916, was \$120,666,450. This indebtedness has been increased during the first nine months of 1916 by the issue in January of \$1,000,000 of the \$13,500,000 (1907) loan, \$700,000 of the \$7,000,000 (1913) loan, \$660,000 of the \$3,160,000 (1914) loan and \$3,000,000 of the \$11,300,000 (1915) loan; also the issue in July of \$2,000,000 of the \$4,325,000 (1915) loan and \$3,000,000 of the \$6,000,000 (1915) loan. The city's debt has been reduced by the payment of \$3,000 of the unclaimed matured loans, leaving the funded debt on September 30, 1916, \$131,023,450. The city loans held by the commissioners of the sinking fund on January 1 amounted to \$22,265,400 of long term loans and \$1,200,000 of temporary loan. Since that date \$2,074,400 has been added to the holdings in long term loans and the temporary loan has been paid off, leaving the investments in city loans September 30, 1916, \$24,339,800 represented entirely by long term loans. The net funded debt of the city on September 30, 1916, was \$106,683,650.

LOANS AUTHORIZED AND UNISSUED

At January 1 there were loans authorized and unissued amounting to \$21,710,000. On June 29th, there were authorized the following loans:

- \$42,450,797 (1916) 30-year loan for general improvements.
- 4,974,203 (1916) 5-year loan for current expenses.
- 67,100,000 (1916) 50-year loan for transit and port facilities.

In January there was issued \$5,360,000 and in July \$5,000,000 of the loans authorized and unissued as described above. These transactions leave a balance of loans authorized and unissued on September 30, as follows:

\$ 11 300 000	Loan of January 7, 1915.....	\$ 5 300 000
4 325 000	Loan of May 6, 1915.....	2 325 000
6 000 000	Loan of June 30, 1915.....	3 000 000
42 450 797	Loan of June 29, 1916.....	42 450 797
4 974 203	Loan of June 29, 1916.....	4 974 203
67 100 000	Loan of June 29, 1916.....	67 100 000
Total		<u>\$ 125 150 000</u>

These unsold loans and portions of loans have all been appropriated with the exception of the following amounts:

\$ 11 300 000 (1915) Loan.....	\$ 788 000 00
4 325 000 (1915) Loan.....	5 000 00
4 974 203 (1916) Loan.....	5 224 37
Various small amounts arising from the merging of balances under \$500 and capital account warrants of prior years dropped by ordinance of City Councils, shown in detail in City Controller's Annual Report for the year 1915 on page 7.....	2 685 36
Total funds available for appropriation—Loan funds.	<u>\$ 800 909 73</u>

CITY LOANS EXEMPT FROM UNITED STATES INCOME TAX

The market for this city's bonds has been excellent during the first nine months of 1916. Substantial premiums were obtained on the loans sold in January and those sold in July. The new revenue act very recently passed by Congress, which increased the annual income tax from one to two per cent. and practically doubled the surtax, has added to the attractiveness of municipal bonds owing to their being completely exempt therefrom.

MUNICIPAL PENSION FUND

The cash balance of the municipal pension fund at September 30, 1916, amounted to \$177,009.51. Of this amount, \$175,333.10 has been contributed by officials and employees and \$1,676.41 represents interest on deposits. It is estimated that the cash balance in the fund will amount to approximately \$205,000 at December 31, 1916, and the opinion of the Board of Pensions is that this balance, together with the current receipts from contributions in 1917, will be considerably in excess of pension payments during the coming year. While it is known that a number of employees are contemplating application for pension, it is believed that the payments on account of pensions in 1917 will be far less than maximum for the reason that retirement is entirely voluntary, and as the pension payment amounts to but fifty (50) per cent. of the average salary of the last five years of service, any employees who have received a promotion or increase in salary during the last five years would not receive even fifty (50) per cent. of their present salary. It is believed that many who are eligible will prefer to remain in active service and receive full pay.

Withdrawals of contributions from the pension fund by those who have left the city or county service are requiring larger payments each month as the fund becomes older.

MANDAMUSES

Mandamus Expenditures—January 1 to September 30, 1916

Opening and Widening Streets.....	\$ 59 532 79
Change of Grade	133 455 30
Condemnation of Property:	
Park—Twentieth and Ontario Streets.....	8 786 53
do Kensington Avenue and Tioga Street.....	4 907 30
do Jackson and Wakeling Streets.....	1 552 06
Playgrounds—Twenty-first and Chew Streets.....	45 089 61
do Second and Catharine Streets.....	30 483 44
do Silverwood, Rector, Cresson and Cotton Streets...	9 957 26
do Blair Street and Montgomery Avenue.....	1 088 21
do Cheltenham Avenue and Ardsley Street.....	7 548 65
do Haverford Avenue and Fifty-seventh Street.....	44 069 09
Police and Fire House—Hunting Park Avenue and Schuyler Street	10 442 95
Construction of Sewers—Twelfth Street, from Diamond Street to Susquehanna Avenue	107 56
Welsbach Street Light Company.....	20 755 27
Damages—Personal Injuries	49 642 60
Stenographers' Fees:	
Common Pleas Courts	65 873 96
Municipal Court	7 825 50
Services in Municipal Court.....	1 361 62
Computing Election Returns, November, 1915.....	10 087 93
Division of Forty-sixth Ward.....	749 58
Services—House of Detention.....	5 099 50
Damages—To Automobile	68 39
do Personal Property	947 06
Commitments to Spring City Asylum.....	141 80
Counsel Fees—Murder Trials.....	1 056 78
Commissioners in Lunacy.....	1 513 63
Equity Suit Cases—Costs.....	66 97
Printing Jury Lists.....	200 63
Clerk to Prothonotary.....	89 99
County Auditor	984 50
Replevin Suit—Armstrong & Latta.....	5 362 33
Tearing Down Dangerous Buildings.....	668 94

Total (all expended from General Fund)..... \$ 529 517 73

Recapitulation by Character of Expenditures:

Charged to Mandamuses Payable, General Account.....	\$ 133 798 38
Charged to Mandamuses Payable, Capital Account.....	261 968 33
Charged to Expenses, 1916.....	43 899 54
Charged to Land, Structures, Other Improvements and Equipment	84 851 48

Total \$ 529 517 73

Mandamuses Payable

Mandamuses amounting to \$2,571,429.55 were outstanding unpaid at September 30, 1916, \$214,182.00 being of a current expense nature and \$2,357,247.55 being for permanent improvements. Sufficient funds to pay these mandamuses have been provided by your Honorable Bodies in the \$42,450,797 loan authorized June 29, 1916. In addition to a general mandamus item of \$300,000 in this loan there is an appropriation to the department of law of \$4,925,901 to pay damages for the heretofore authorized opening, widening and changing of grade of streets, construction of sewers and condemnation of property for parks and other purposes; and an appropriation to the department of city treasurer of \$8,500,000 for the acquisition and payment for property taken for the parkway. As these amounts have been specifically appropriated, it will be necessary for a warrant to be drawn for each mandamus, which method of payment is preferable to the payment of mandamuses out of unappropriated funds, at least so far as loan moneys are concerned.

There has been included in the estimated requirements for 1917, \$1,200,000 for mandamuses of a general nature, of which it is estimated that \$400,000 will be for current expenses and should be paid out of general funds, whereas \$800,000 is estimated to be for permanent improvements and might properly be provided for in the next loan that is authorized.

This estimate of \$1,200,000 is conservative, and it is imperative that at least that amount shall be provided in addition to the funds now available in the \$42,450,797 loan or provision will have to be made therefor out of the fund surplus at the close of 1916.

RECOMMENDED FORM OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

I take pleasure in submitting, herewith, for the consideration of your Honorable Bodies the "Departmental Budget Estimates of 1917 Requirements," accompanied by salary schedules supporting the line reading "Personal Services." In addition to the 1917 requirements, these departmental estimates show in the most concise manner the

Expenditures in 1915;

Appropriations available for the year 1916 to September 1;

The actual expenditures in 1916 to September 1;

The estimated expenditures for the four remaining months of 1916;

classified as to whether "general," "loan" or "special" moneys were used. The net increases or decreases of the 1917 requirements compared with the 1916 expenditures are also given.

These estimates show the total amount asked for 1917 by each department or bureau classified by objects of expenditure, by characters of expenditure, and by functions or activities.

If used as the basis for appropriation ordinances, these classified estimates would greatly simplify and condense the work for all concerned, and at the same time would permit of strict supervision by your Honorable Bodies over the expenditures by all departments and bureaus, making comparisons by objects of expenditure very easy. For example, the appropriation ordinances could be made uniform for every department and bureau in accordance with the recapitulation by "objects of expenditure" submitted by it, and would show amounts appropriated, as follows:

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| Item | 1. | Personal Services (with supporting salary schedule). |
| " | 2. | Services Other Than Personal. |
| " | 3. | Materials. |
| " | 4. | Supplies. |
| " | 5. | Equipment. |
| " | 6. | Structures and Non-Structural Improvements to Land. |
| " | 7. | Land and Interest in Land. |
| " | 8. | Debt Payments. |
| " | 9. | Interest and State Tax on Debt. |
| " | 10. | Rentals, Contributions and Pensions. |

Additional appropriations during the year could then be made to any one of the above items of any department or bureau.

The recapitulations of the above-mentioned departmental estimates for the whole city and county begin on page 65. The recapitulations for each department, bureau and office begin on page 120, and the salary schedules begin on page 226.

In the first few pages of this statement, the essential facts are brought together in such form as to enable City Councils and the public to obtain the meaning of the mass of figures sent in by the departments as their estimates of requirements for 1917.

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. WALTON,
City Controller.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED REQUIREMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1917

Estimated Expenditures and Funding Provisions	Total	Expenses	Fixed Charges and Contingencies	Debt Payments (including payments to sinking fund)	Property Acquisitions
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR 1917:					
Personal services (salaries, wages, etc.)-----	\$17 707 766 00	\$17 707 766 00	—	—	—
Services other than personal-----	6 846 629 69	6 846 629 69	—	—	—
Materials-----	503 220 45	503 220 45	—	—	—
Supplies-----	3 298 429 85	3 298 429 85	—	—	—
Equipment (including replacements, \$ 562 367 71) -----	2 362 651 51	562 367 71	—	—	\$ 1 800 283 80
Structures and non-structural improvements (including replacements, \$ 106 800 00)-----	18 660 114 00	106 800 00	—	—	18 553 314 00
Land-----	3 000 00	—	—	—	3 000 00
Payment of debt (including payments to sinking fund)-----	6 406 308 41	* 400 000 00	—	\$ 6 006 308 41	—
Fixed charges (interest) and contributions-----	7 657 664 12	—	\$ 7 657 664 12	—	—
Pensions-----	66 000 00	—	66 000 00	—	—
Payments arising from relation of agent-----	2 500 00	—	2 500 00	—	—
Total estimated requirements-----	\$63 514 284 03	\$29 425 213 70	\$ 7 726 164 12	\$ 6 006 308 41	\$20 356 597 80
ESTIMATED CURRENT FUNDS AVAILABLE:					
General fund surplus (estimated) as of December 31, 1916-----	\$ 1 410 000 00	—	—	—	—
General fund revenues (on present basis \$1 tax rate)-----	32 353 357 32	\$20 079 384 79	\$ 7 677 664 12	\$ 6 006 308 41	—
LOAN FUNDS REQUIRED	20 351 197 80	—	—	—	\$20 351 197 80
SPECIAL FUNDS REQUIRED	60 500 00	6 600 00	48 500 00	—	5 400 00
Total estimated funds available-----	\$54 175 055 12	\$20 085 984 79	\$ 7 726 164 12	\$ 6 006 308 41	\$20 356 597 80
UNFUNDED ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR 1917:					
General fund revenues-----	\$ 9 339 228 91	\$ 9 239 228 91	—	—	—
Total amount to be funded-----	\$63 514 284 03	\$29 425 213 70	\$ 7 726 164 12	\$ 6 006 308 41	\$20 356 597 80

* Mandamuses of an expense nature.

LIMIT OF APPROPRIATION Act of Assembly Approved June

Amount of Revenue from Taxes on Assessed Valuation of \$1,721,540,000.00

"The amount of tax moneys collectible during the year for which such tax shall have been levied shall be ascertained by deducting from the gross amount yielded by said rate the average of such proportion of the Annual Tax Levy for each of the five years immediately preceding as shall have remained uncollected at the end of each of the said years."

Estimated Amount to be deducted as uncollectible during 1917

(Average of the years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915.)

Estimated Amount collectible within the year under the above rates

Amount of Revenue from Personal Property Taxes on Assessed Valuation of \$625,000,000.00

4 mills

Estimated Amount to be deducted as uncollectible during 1917

(Average of the years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915.)

Estimated Amount of Personal Property Taxes collectible within the year 1917

"Average income from sources other than current Tax Moneys (exclusive of Sinking Fund Receipts), such average of income to be determined by ascertaining the average income during the five years immediately preceding."

Estimated Miscellaneous Receipts

(Average of the years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915.)

Total Estimated Receipts for the year 1917

Amount to be deducted for Lawful Obligations payable by the City during the year 1917:

Interest on Non-Sinking Fund Debt:

Due May 1, 1917.....	\$10 350 00
Due July 1, 1917.....	87 039 38
Due November 1, 1917.....	10 350 00
Due January 1, 1918.....	87 039 37

\$194 778

Principal of Non-Sinking Fund Debt:

18th Series "R" \$4,600,000 loan due Nov. 1, 1917.....	\$230 000 00
16th Series "P" \$1,000,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	50 000 00
15th Series "O" \$3,500,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	175 000 00
14th Series "N" \$1,100,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	55 000 00
14th Series "N" \$3,000,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	150 000 00
14th Series "N" \$2,720,000 refunding loan due Dec. 31, 1917	136 000 00
13th Series "M" \$1,200,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	60 000 00
13th Series "M" \$1,200,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	60 000 00
13th Series "M" \$1,000,000 loan due Dec. 31, 1917.....	50 000 00

966 000

Sinking Fund for the year 1917:

Interest on Loans.....	\$4 987 632 00
Reserve to meet funded debt at maturity	2 986 238 76

7 973 870

Estimated Sinking Fund and Interest on new loans that may be issued during 1917:

Estimated Interest on new loans.....	\$717 468 12
Estimated Reserve to meet funded debt at maturity— new loans.....	1 166 658 25

1 884 126

State Tax on City Loans.....

330 000

Instalment on mortgage of \$1,000,000, Broad and Arch streets.....

100 000

Mothers' Pension Fund.....

20 000

Support of Indigent Insane at State institutions.....

20 000

Mandamuses (estimated) for the year 1917.....

* 400 000

Total Lawful Obligations to be deducted

Estimated Amount Available for Departmental Appropriations General Fund

*The City Solicitor's estimate of mandamus expenditures for 1917 is \$1,200,000, of which it is estimated \$400,000 will be required for current expenses and \$800,000 for permanent improvements. It is estimated that only the mandamus requirements for current expenses will be met out of the general fund and that the mandamus expenditures for permanent improvements will be made from loan funds.

GENERAL FUND—FOR YEAR 1917

79, as Amended May 9, 1913.

Tax Rate \$1.00	Tax Rate \$1.20	Tax Rate \$1.35	Tax Rate \$1.50	Tax Rate \$1.63¾
\$16 800 829 92	\$20 177 978 11	\$22 710 839 27	\$25 243 700 42	\$27 565 475 53
692 151 47	827 121 01	929 559 42	1 034 074 30	1 170 572 10
16 108 678 45	19 350 857 10	21 781 279 85	24 209 626 12	26 394 903 43
2 500 000 00 213 747 69	2 500 000 00 213 747 69	2 500 000 00 213 747 69	2 500 000 00 213 747 69	2 500 000 00 213 747 69
2 286 252 31	2 286 252 31	2 286 252 31	2 286 252 31	2 286 252 31
13 958 426 56	13 958 426 56	13 958 426 56	13 958 426 56	13 958 426 56
32 353 357 32	35 595 535 97	38 025 958 72	40 454 304 99	42 639 582 30
11 888 775 88	11 888 775 88	11 888 775 88	11 888 775 88	11 888 775 88
\$20 464 581 44	\$23 706 760 09	\$26 137 182 84	\$28 565 529 11	\$30 750 806 42

NOTE:—The receipts of special funds are not included in the above estimate, nor should appropriations of these funds be deducted from the above total of general funds available for appropriation. Appropriations of special funds are made from special account receipts, which are kept separate from general account receipts.

ESTIMATE OF GENERAL FUND SURPLUS AT DECEMBER 31, 1916*Additional Funds Available for Appropriation at Closing of Year's Books*

Cash Balance—General Account—October 1, 1916.....	\$5 404 187 64
Estimated General Account Receipts—October 1 to December 31, 1916	4 491 742 93
Current taxes	\$1 775 000 00
Current water rents	640 455 00
Miscellaneous general account receipts... ..	2 076 287 93
Total	\$9 895 930 57

From which deduct:

Vouchers audited and warrants payable—	
General Account—October 1, 1916.....	\$264 653 81
Funds available for appropriations—General Fund—October 1, 1916.....	364 46
Estimated General Account expenditures, October 1 to December 31, 1916.....	7 617 180 02
Estimated non-merging General Fund appropriations—December 31, 1916.....	603 732 28
	8 485 930 57
Estimated General Fund surplus—December 31, 1916.....	\$1 410 000 00

Which consists of

Estimated excess of actual receipts over estimated receipts	\$960 000 00
Estimated merging balances of General Fund appropriations	450 000 00

**ESTIMATED ASSESSED VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY FOR 1917
FURNISHED BY THE BOARD OF REVISION OF TAXES,
OCTOBER, 1916**

*Assessed Valuation of Real Estate and Personal Estate with the Rate Thereon
Sufficient to Give the Departments the Estimated Amount Asked
for Current Expenses.*

	Assessment	Classified as follows	Rate	Amount
Real Estate	\$ 1 719 960 000 00	Full.....\$1 652 102 080 00	\$ 1 63¾	\$ 26 660 025 44
Personal Estate (horses and cattle).....	1 580 000 00	Suburban. 70 518 360 00	1 09½	753 531 21
		Farm..... 15 919 560 00	81%	151 918 88
Total.....	\$ 1 721 540 000 00	\$1 721 540 000 00	—	†\$ 27 565 475 53

Assessed Valuation of Personal Property Subject to Taxation for Municipal Purposes under the Act of Assembly of June 17, 1913

	Assessment	Rate	Amount
Assessed Valuation of Personal Property (money at interest and carriages to hire).....	\$ 625 000 000 00	4 mills	\$ 2 500 000 00

† See preceding page.

CITY INDEBTEDNESS AND BORROWING CAPACITY—

SEPTEMBER 30, 1916

*Statement Showing City Debt and Borrowing Capacity
by Vote of the People.*

CITY INDEBTEDNESS

The amount of the existing debt is as follows:

Gross funded debt (including loans authorized but not issued)	\$ 256 173 450 00
Less:	
Loans held by Sinking Fund.....	24 339 800 00
Net Funded Debt.....	\$ 231 833 650 00
Floating debt (mortgages and ground rents).....	522 928 55
Total Debt	\$ 232 356 578 55
Less:	
Cash in Sinking Fund, less interest payable and unclaimed interest.....	\$ 2 133 017 95
Appropriation for Sinking Fund for remainder of 1916 (excluding appropriation for interest)	723 655 34
Appropriation for non-Sinking Fund loans for 1916	966 000 00
	3 822 673 29
Net City Debt (including loans authorized but not issued)	\$ 228 533 905 26

ASSESSED VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY.

The amount of the last assessed valuation of taxable property is as follows:

Real estate	\$ 1 704 695 056 00
Personal property	610 624 041 25
	<u>\$ 2 315 319 097 25</u>

BORROWING CAPACITY—FOR TRANSIT AND PORT FACILITIES

Ten (10) per cent. of assessed valuation of taxable property (as above)	\$ 231 531 909 72
Deduct Net City Debt (as above)	228 533 905 26
Borrowing Capacity—For Transit and Port Facilities	<u>\$ 2 998 004 46</u>

The borrowing capacity for permanent improvements other than transit and port facilities and for general purposes is practically exhausted.

ESTIMATED LIMIT OF APPROPRIATIONS—LOAN FUNDS—1917—SHOWING THE VARIOUS SOURCES OF INCREASED BORROWING CAPACITY

FOR TRANSIT AND PORT FACILITIES—10% ON TAXABLE REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

From Estimated Increase in Assessed Valuation of Taxable Real Estate, \$36,438,200, and Taxable Personal Property, \$49,880,000	\$ 8 631 820 00
From Payments of Debt.....	2 123 800 00
From General Fund.....	\$ 1 066 000 00
Serial Loans Redeemed....	\$ 966 000 00
Mortgage Debt Reduced....	100 000 00
From Sinking Funds—term and serial loans redeemed	1 057 800 00
From Increase in Sinking Fund Investments and Cash.....	4 160 655 56
From Estimated General Fund Payments to Sinking Funds Available for Investment.	\$ 3 095 097 01
From Estimated Loan Fund Payments for \$67,100,000 (1916) Loan to Sinking Funds Available for Investment.....	65 558 55
From Estimated Income on Sinking Fund Investments	1 000 000 00
Estimated Total Increase in Borrowing Capacity for 1917	\$ 14 916 275 56
To which add:	
Borrowing Capacity—September 30, 1916.....	2 998 004 46
Estimated Total Borrowing Capacity for 1917.....	\$ 17 914 280 02

FOR ANY PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS—7% ON TAXABLE REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

Of the total estimated increase in the borrowing capacity in 1917, it is estimated there will be available for permanent improvements other than transit and port facilities:

From Estimated Increase in Assessed Valuation of Taxable Real Estate, \$36,438,200, and Taxable Personal Property, \$49,880,000	\$ 6 042 274 00
From Payments of Debt.....	2 123 800 00
From Increases in Sinking Fund Investments and Cash.....	3 500 000 00
Estimated Total Increase in Borrowing Capacity for Permanent Improvements other than Transit and Port Facilities for 1917.....	\$ 11 666 074 00

FOR GENERAL PURPOSES—7% ON TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY

Of the total estimated increase in the borrowing capacity in 1917, it is estimated there will be available for purposes other than permanent improvements:

From Estimated Increase in Assessed Valuation of Taxable	
Real Estate, \$36,438,200.....	\$ 2 550 674 00
From Payments of Debt.....	2 123 800 00
From Increases in Sinking Fund Investments and Cash.....	1 500 000 00
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Estimated Total Increase in Borrowing Capacity	
for Purposes other than Permanent Improve-	
ments for 1917.....	\$ 6 174 474 00

NOTE.—The total estimated borrowing capacity for 1917 is \$17,914,280.02, of which \$6,248,206.02 is for transit and port facilities only, \$5,491,600 is for other permanent improvements and \$6,174,474 is for general purposes.

COMPARATIVE FIVE-YEAR STATEMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER'S ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, LAWFUL OBLIGATIONS AND GENERAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR DEPARTMENTS

GENERAL FUND	1913 Tax Rate \$1 00	1914 Tax Rate \$1 00	1915 Tax Rate \$1 00	1916 Tax Rate \$1 00	1917 Tax Rate \$1 00
Amount of revenue from taxes-----	\$15 117 313 25	\$15 655 942 95	\$16 172 584 16	\$16 429 054 76	\$16 800 829 92
Estimated amount to be deducted as uncollectible within year-----	409 196 39	364 283 14	436 316 78	536 305 15	692 151 47
Estimated amount collectible within year-----	\$14 708 116 86	\$15 291 659 81	\$15 736 267 38	\$15 892 749 61	\$16 108 678 45
Amount of revenue from personal property taxes-----	*	2 120 000 00	2 280 000 00	2 300 000 00	2 500 000 00
Estimated amount to be deducted as uncollectible within year-----	*	132 866 70	196 604 05	206 414 18	213 747 69
Estimated amount collectible within year-----	*	\$ 1 987 133 30	\$ 1 083 395 95	\$ 2 093 585 82	\$ 2 286 252 31
Estimated miscellaneous receipts-----	\$14 667 052 66	\$13 736 411 11	\$13 655 785 31	\$13 840 753 28	\$13 958 426 56
Total estimated receipts-----	\$29 375 109 52	\$31 015 204 22	\$31 475 448 64	\$31 827 088 71	\$32 353 357 32
Amount to be deducted for lawful obligations: △ Interest and principal of non-sinking fund loans, pay- ments to sinking funds, State tax, mandamus, etc-----	\$10 677 877 50	\$11 362 442 50	\$ 9 099 313 51	\$ 9 405 657 88	\$11 888 775 88
Amount available for departmental appropriation-----	\$18 697 292 02	\$19 652 761 72	\$22 376 135 13	\$22 421 430 83	\$20 464 581 44
⊕ Additional funds available for appropriations at closing of previous year's books-----	1 125 563 84	1 494 514 89	1 406 424 82	686 003 85	**
Total funds available for departmental appropriations-----	\$19 822 855 86	\$21 147 276 61	\$23 782 559 95	\$23 107 434 68	**
To which should be added: Non-merging general fund balances brought forward from previous year-----	1 393 216 03	836 125 97	912 936 29	656 005 33	**
Total funds available for departmental use-----	\$21 216 071 89	\$21 983 402 58	\$24 695 496 24	\$23 763 440 01	**
△ Estimates for mandamuses included among lawful obliga- tions-----	\$ 2 000 000 00	\$ 2 000 000 00	\$ 200 000 00	\$ 400 000 00	\$ 400 000 00
⊕ Merging balances included above in additional funds avail- able at closing of year's books-----	788 842 59	845 102 69	608 541 39	544 628 39	**

* Prior to 1914 the four (4) mill personal property tax was a State tax; three-quarters of it, however, was paid by the State to the City and is included in miscellaneous receipts in 1913.

** Not available until December 31, 1916.
§ The City Solicitor's estimate of mandamus expenditures for 1917 is \$1,200,000, of which it is estimated \$400,000 will be for current expenses and \$800,000 for acquisition of property. (It is estimated that the amount for current expenses will be met out of general fund and the amount for acquisition of property out of loan funds.)

SUMMARY CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

SHOWING ASSETS, LIABILITIES, APPROPRIATIONS, RESERVES AND FUNDS AVAILABLE
FOR APPROPRIATION, AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1916.

ASSETS	Totals	General Account — See Exhibit "B," page 374 and Exhibit "E," page 382	Capital Account (Permanent Funds and Properties) — See Exhibit "C," page 376 and Exhibit "E," page 382	Capital Account (Sinking Funds) — See Exhibit "C," page 378	Special and Trust Accounts — See Exhibit "D," page 380 and Exhibit "E," page 382
Cash	\$ 17 228 106 33	\$ 5 404 187 64	\$ 7 676 598 60	\$ 3 345 443 62	\$ 801 876 47
Cash Held by Commissioners of P. R. T. Sinking Fund for Special Purposes	60 627 36	—	22 650 00	—	37 977 36
Amounts Due to the City—Accounts Receivable	12 274 951 18	5 629 287 65	6 484 324 94	—	161 338 59
Stores, Transportation and Postage on Hand	877 931 66	877 931 66	—	—	—
Investments (City Loans)	25 275 700 00	—	—	24 339 800 00	935 900 00
Other Securities	13 968 00	13 968 00	—	—	—
Land, Structures, Other Improve- ments and Equipment	341 460 944 90	—	341 460 944 90	—	—
Deferred Charges	421 555 87	66 572 59	—	347 705 25	7 273 03
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 397 613 785 30	\$ 11 991 947 54	\$ 355 644 518 44	\$ 28 032 948 87	\$ 1 944 370 45
LIABILITIES					
Vouchers Audited	\$ 289 345 95	\$ 197 403 02	\$ 86 180 88	—	\$ 5 762 05
Warrants Payable	169 631 83	67 250 79	102 372 29	—	8 80
Invoices Payable	6 523 02	—	6 523 02	—	—
Mandamuses Payable	2 571 429 55	214 182 00	2 357 247 55	—	—
Mortgages Payable	514 625 00	—	514 625 00	—	—
Funded Debt	131 023 450 00	—	131 023 450 00	—	—
Other Liabilities	845 241 59	101 137 14	8 305 55	\$ 54 693 55	681 105 35
Deferred Credits	3 796 254 85	2 483 150 20	—	1 303 573 60	9 531 05
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 139 216 501 84	\$ 3 063 123 15	\$ 184 098 704 29	\$ 1 358 267 15	\$ 696 407 25
EXCESS OF ASSETS OVER LI- ABILITIES	258 397 283 46	8 928 824 39	221 545 814 15	26 674 681 72	1 247 963 20
TOTALS	\$ 397 613 785 30	\$ 11 991 947 54	\$ 355 644 518 44	\$ 28 032 948 87	\$ 1 944 370 45
BALANCE OF ESTIMATED RE- CEIPTS, APPROPRIATIONS, RESERVES AND FUNDS AVAIL- ABLE FOR APPROPRIATION:					
Receipts Yet to be Collected	\$ 3 469 768 67	\$ 3 424 824 67	—	—	\$ 44 944 00
Loans Authorized and Un- issued	125 150 000 00	—	\$ 125 150 000 00	—	—
Excess of Assets over Lia- bilities (see above)	258 397 283 46	8 928 824 39	221 545 814 15	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 1 247 963 20
TOTALS	\$ 387 017 052 13	\$ 12 353 649 06	\$ 346 695 814 15	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 1 292 907 20
Less—Appropriations and Reserves:					
Appropriations (Uncumbered Balances)	\$ 20 271 619 36	\$ 6 402 217 53	\$ 13 819 861 48	—	\$ 49 570 35
Reserves (see Exhibits "B," "C," "D" and "E")	217 162 684 15	8 221 837 50	181 198 747 16	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 1 067 417 77
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	\$ 237 434 333 51	\$ 14 624 055 03	\$ 195 018 608 64	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 1 116 988 12
Excess of Assets and Estimated Re- ceipts over Liabilities, Appro- priations and Reserves	\$ 149 582 718 62	* \$ 2 270 405 97	\$ 151 677 265 51	—	\$ 175 919 03
Distributed as follows:					
Excess of Assets over Liabilities and Reserves	\$ 148 766 863 94	* \$ 2 270 770 43	\$ 150 876 225 78	—	\$ 161 338 59
Funds Available for Appropria- tion	815 854 68	364 46	800 969 73	—	† 14 580 40

* Excess other liabilities and reserves over assets other than cash.
† Available for park purposes only.

EXHIBIT "A"

SUMMARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF
RESULTS AND
As of JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (ACTUAL),
Proprietary

ASSETS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CASH	\$ 7 479 193 42	\$ 17 228 106 33	\$10 431 510 43	\$ 9 552 065 27
CASH HELD BY COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES	25 650 00	60 627 36	100 552 05	78 438 16
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	33 701 603 13	12 274 951 18	9 807 184 63	9 253 111 70
STORES (INCLUDING POSTAGE AND TRANS- PORTATION)	822 879 80	877 931 66	730 820 75	775 781 16
INVESTMENTS (CITY AND SCHOOL LOANS)	23 891 900 00	25 275 700 00	27 149 600 00	31 358 200 00
SECURITIES	18 177 00	13 968 00	13 968 00	9 750 00
LAND, STRUCTURES, OTHER IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	333 372 345 12	341 460 944 90	349 003 189 21	377 269 154 20
DEFERRED CHARGES	112 304 63	421 555 87	134 891 88	176 625 44
TOTAL ASSETS	\$399 424 053 10	\$397 613 785 30	\$397 371 716 95	\$428 478 134 93

Fund

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	\$ 31 914 397 71	\$ 3 469 768 67	—	—
LOANS AUTHORIZED AND UNISSUED	21 710 000 00	125 150 000 00	\$115 150 000 00	\$79 550 800 00
UNAPPLIED (NET CASH) BALANCE	4 777 312 55	12 651 289 48	6 821 784 04	5 527 252 61
TOTAL DEBIT BALANCES	\$ 58 401 710 26	\$141 271 058 15	\$121 971 784 04	\$85 078 052 61

Operation

EXPENSES INCURRED	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
ADMINISTRATION	\$ 3 315 419 48	\$ 1 105 326 15	\$ 4 420 745 63	\$ 4 523 425 00
OPERATION	14 295 456 64	4 165 115 32	18 460 571 96	20 876 058 74
MAINTENANCE	4 788 377 81	1 596 094 23	6 384 472 04	7 631 075 46
INTEREST AND STATE TAX ON FUNDED DEBT	3 328 688 12	1 104 866 74	4 433 554 86	6 629 878 87
OTHER EXPENSE	1 313 640 02	437 552 78	1 751 192 80	2 237 039 75
TOTALS	\$ 27 041 582 07	\$ 8 408 955 22	\$35 450 537 29	\$41 897 477 82

Surplus and Reserve to Pay

CHARGES:				
Excess of Expenses Incurred over Revenues Ac- rued (as above)	\$ 2 350 055 07	\$ 337 739 54	\$ 2 717 794 61	\$ 8 494 343 11
Allowances and Reductions of Delinquent Taxes and Water Rents	7 987 67	2 443 20	10 430 87	12 560 29
Invoices Payable in Excess of Amount Reported at December 31, 1915	91 600 88	—	91 600 88	122 882 72
Additional Ground Rents Payable	444 44	—	444 44	—
Payments for Sundry Special Purposes	46 809 37	1 250 00	48 059 37	43 200 00
Closing Out Account—Due from Commonwealth— County Suburban Road Account	182 84	—	182 84	—
SURPLUS AT END OF PERIOD (See Balance Sheet above)	161 418 153 42	160 703 873 34	160 703 873 34	148 504 606 18
RESERVE TO PAY FUNDED DEBT AT END OF PERIOD (See Balance Sheet above)	26 674 651 72	27 158 558 21	27 158 558 21	31 477 003 69
TOTALS	\$190 619 915 41	\$188 203 864 29	\$190 730 944 56	\$188 654 595 99

FINANCIAL CONDITION, OPERATING CONDITION OF FUNDS

AND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED)

Balance Sheet

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
VOUCHERS AUDITED AND WARRANTS PAYABLE	\$ 1 834 309 66	\$ 458 977 83	\$ 1 842 499 26	\$ 1 836 950 45
TEMPORARY LOAN	1 200 000 00	—	1 200 000 00	1 200 000 00
FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING	120 666 450 00	131 023 450 00	138 999 650 00	172 575 050 00
OTHER LIABILITIES	1 511 489 80	3 937 819 16	1 611 552 28	1 608 922 59
DEFERRED CREDITS	127 738 55	3 796 254 85	140 011 96	161 451 15
RESERVES:				
For Doubtful Accounts Receivable	321 862 16	321 862 16	219 385 17	270 623 66
For Depreciation on Property	59 939 991 99	63 181 472 94	64 261 966 59	69 503 447 54
For Various Special and Trust Purposes	653 302 05	1 062 914 39	1 234 220 14	1 340 079 67
For Revenues Unaccrued	23 052 208 23	5 738 198 83	—	—
To Pay Funded Debt	23 866 123 08	26 674 681 72	27 158 558 21	31 477 003 69
SURPLUS	166 250 577 58	161 418 153 42	160 703 873 34	148 504 606 18
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	\$390 421 053 10	\$397 613 785 30	\$397 371 716 95	\$428 478 134 93

Balance Sheet

UNENCUMBERED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 45 655 130 28	\$ 20 271 649 36	\$103 719 181 39	\$44 285 499 98
RESERVE FOR CONTRACTS	10 338 203 57	10 619 774 84	16 025 252 27	38 875 552 63
RESERVE FOR MANDAMUSES	—	12 982 27	—	—
RESERVE FOR \$67,100,000 (1916) and \$42,450,797 (1916) LOANS AUTHORIZED AND UNISSUED	—	109 550 797 00	—	—
FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	2 408 376 41	815 854 68	2 227 350 38	1 917 000 00
TOTAL CREDIT BALANCES	\$ 58 401 710 26	\$141 271 058 15	\$121 971 784 04	\$85 078 052 61

Accounts

REVENUES ACCRUED	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
TAXES (including Personal Property Taxes)	\$ 14 260 930 12	\$ 4 067 250 99	\$18 328 211 11	\$18 394 930 76
WATER RENTS	3 679 744 88	1 199 064 00	4 878 808 88	4 980 201 91
MISCELLANEOUS (including Net Revenue from Sinking Fund Investments)	6 720 852 00	2 804 870 69	9 525 722 69	10 128 002 04
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 24 661 527 00	\$ 8 071 215 68	\$32 732 742 68	\$33 403 134 71
EXCESS OF EXPENSES OVER REVENUES	2 880 055 07	337 739 54	2 717 794 61	8 494 343 11
TOTALS	\$ 27 041 582 07	\$ 8 408 955 22	\$35 450 537 29	\$41 897 477 82

Funded Debt Accounts

SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (See Balance Sheet above)	\$166 250 577 58	\$161 418 153 42	\$166 250 577 58	\$160 703 873 34
RESERVE TO PAY FUNDED DEBT AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (See Balance Sheet above)	23 866 123 08	26 674 681 72	23 866 123 08	27 158 558 21
CREDITS:				
Additions to Delinquent Taxes and Water Rents	5 499 63	24 260 01	29 759 64	10 407 35
Warrants Payable Dropped and Cancelled	364 46	—	364 46	371 29
Appropriation by Commonwealth in 1916 for Harbor Improvements	—	—	—	300 000 00
Refund from Philadelphia Electric Company	152 381 81	—	152 381 81	—
Property Acquired Through Assessments	282 403 33	64 120 98	346 524 36	420 885 80
Suspense Account—From Receivers of Failed Depositories	—	20 000 00	20 000 00	—
Receipts for Sundry Special Purposes	62 565 47	2 648 16	65 213 63	60 500 00
TOTALS	\$190 619 915 41	\$188 203 864 29	\$190 730 944 56	\$188 654 595 99

GENERAL

STATEMENT AS OF JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (ACTUAL)

Balance

ASSETS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CASH	\$ 2 781 015 51	\$ 5 404 187 64	\$ 3 425 982 16	\$ 3 959 613 7
AMOUNTS DUE TO THE CITY:				
Taxes Receivable.....	16 622 610 45	2 585 691 26	1 127 214 02	1 117 863 7
Water Rents Receivable.....	3 994 136 28	281 578 67	130 186 58	132 302 7
Personal Property Taxes Receivable.....	2 435 461 50	95 414 92	266 413 07	264 132 5
Departmental Accounts Receivable.....	—	—	26 328 95	30 343 0
Delinquent Taxes Receivable.....	2 253 811 95	1 339 498 75	1 158 914 27	1 152 053 8
Delinquent Water Rents Receivable.....	217 244 41	161 940 34	70 460 02	76 642 8
Delinquent Personal Property Taxes Receivable.....	600 155 56	589 339 28	205 162 44	139 091 8
Delinquent Public Building Tax.....	439 17	435 61	435 61	413 9
Delinquent Departmental Accounts Receivable.....	90 697 88	69 011 15	58 506 50	57 423 0
Claims Against the Commonwealth for Primary Elec- tion Expenses.....	454 358 41	454 358 41	454 358 41	454 358 4
Suspense Account—Due from Receivers of Failed De- positories.....	52 019 26	52 019 26	55 235 22	53 637 5
STORES ON HAND.....	812 062 68	871 284 91	721 072 69	766 567 0
SECURITIES.....	18 177 00	13 968 00	13 968 00	9 759 0
POSTAGE AND TRANSPORTATION ON HAND.....	10 817 17	6 546 75	9 748 06	9 213 3
RENTALS ACCRUED—NOT DUE.....	1 859 65	—	1 859 65	1 859 6
WORK IN PROGRESS.....	—	66 572 59	—	—
TOTAL ASSETS.....	\$ 30 344 866 83	\$ 11 991 947 54	\$ 7 725 865 65	\$ 8 225 277 3

Operation

EXPENSES INCURRED	January 1 to September 30 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1917 (estimated)
Administration	\$ 3 315 419 48	\$ 1 105 326 15	\$ 4 420 745 63	\$ 4 523 425 0
Operation	14 295 456 64	4 165 115 32	18 460 571 96	20 876 058 8
Maintenance	4 788 377 81	1 596 094 23	6 384 472 04	7 631 075 4
Interest and State Tax on Funded Debt.....	3 328 688 12	1 104 866 74	4 433 554 86	6 629 878 5
Other Expenses.....	1 313 640 02	437 552 78	1 751 192 80	2 237 039 9
TOTALS	\$ 27 041 582 07	\$ 8 408 955 22	\$35 450 537 29	\$ 41 897 477 6

Surplus

CHARGES AGAINST SURPLUS:				
Excess of Expenses over Revenues (as above).....	\$ 3 015 720 64	\$ 607 727 94	\$ 3 623 448 58	\$ 9 544 120 4
Advances to Capital Account (Sinking Funds).....	2 123 229 12	1 251 126 03	3 374 355 15	4 240 305 5
Invoices Payable of Prior Years Audited in Excess of Amount Reported by Departments at close of Pre- ceding Year.....	80 750 95	—	80 750 95	110 882 2
Reductions and Allowances of Delinquent Taxes and Water Rents.....	7 987 67	2 443 20	10 430 87	12 560 0
SURPLUS CARRIED TO GENERAL ACCOUNT AT END OF PERIOD (see General Account Balance Sheet above).....	2 868 763 40	4 621 801 47	4 621 801 47	5 031 573 3
TOTALS	\$ 8 096 451 78	\$ 6 483 098 64	\$11 710 787 02	\$ 18 939 445 4

EXHIBIT

ACCOUNT

AND DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED)

Sheet

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH:				
Vouchers Audited.....	\$ 1 263 637 93	\$ 197 408 02	\$ 1 245 122 49	\$ 1 254 330 21
Warrants Payable.....	175 368 40	67 250 79	167 127 39	171 247 89
INVOICES PAYABLE.....	169 134 55	—	155 419 49	162 277 02
DUPLICATE AND EXCESS TAXES AND WATER RENTS PAYABLE.....	74 449 42	101 137 14	107 809 07	127 824 86
MANDAMUSES PAYABLE.....	138 798 33	214 182 00	—	—
TEMPORARY LOAN.....	1 200 000 00	—	1 200 000 00	1 200 000 00
RESERVES:				
Unaccrued Taxes.....	16 622 610 45	4 129 529 58	—	—
Unaccrued Water Rents.....	3 994 136 28	994 561 10	—	—
Unaccrued Personal Property Taxes.....	2 435 461 50	614 108 15	—	—
Expenses Accrued—Not Due.....	—	2 483 150 20	—	—
For Non-Collection of Delinquent Personal Property Taxes.....	269 842 90	269 842 90	164 129 95	216 986 42
For Losses on Account of Failed Depositories.....	52 019 26	52 019 26	55 255 22	53 637 24
INTEREST ACCRUED—NOT DUE.....	10 900 00	—	9 050 00	7 200 00
RENTS ACCRUED—NOT DUE.....	150 57	—	150 57	150 57
SURPLUS—CASH OVER IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH.....	* 1 342 009 18	* 5 139 533 83	* 2 013 732 28	* 2 533 985 68
SURPLUS—OTHER ASSETS OVER OTHER LIABILI- TIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS.....	2 596 348 01	† 2 270 770 43	2 608 069 19	2 497 587 46
TOTAL SURPLUS.....	\$ 3 938 357 19	\$ 2 868 763 40	\$ 4 621 801 47	\$ 5 031 573 14
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	\$ 30 344 896 83	\$ 11 991 947 54	\$ 7 725 865 65	\$ 8 225 277 35

* See "Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance"—General Fund Balance Sheet, page 382.

† Excess of other liabilities and reserves over assets other than cash.

Accounts

REVENUES ACCRUED	January 1 to September 30 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1917 (estimated)
Taxes.....	\$ 12 439 576 77	\$ 3 453 172 84	\$15 892 749 61	\$ 16 108 678 45
Water Rents.....	3 679 744 88	1 199 064 00	4 878 808 88	4 980 201 91
Personal Property Taxes.....	1 821 353 35	614 108 15	2 435 461 50	2 286 252 31
Miscellaneous Revenues.....	6 085 186 43	2 534 882 29	8 620 068 72	8 978 224 65
TOTAL REVENUES.....	\$ 24 025 861 43	\$ 7 801 227 28	\$31 827 068 71	\$ 32 853 357 32
EXCESS OF EXPENSES OVER REVENUES.....	3 015 720 64	607 727 94	3 623 448 58	9 544 120 50
TOTALS.....	\$ 27 041 582 07	\$ 8 408 955 22	\$35 450 537 29	\$ 41 897 477 82

Accounts

SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (see General Ac- count Balance Sheet above).....	\$ 3 938 357 19	\$ 2 868 763 40	\$ 3 938 357 19	\$ 4 621 801 47
CREDITS TO SURPLUS:				
Refund from Philadelphia Electric Company—Electric light contract for 1915.....	152 381 81	—	152 381 81	—
Additions to Delinquent Taxes and Water Rents.....	5 499 63	24 260 01	29 759 64	10 407 35
Net Advances from Capital Account (permanent funds and properties account).....	3 910 873 73	3 539 263 10	7 450 136 83	14 111 542 25
Advances from Special and Trust Account.....	88 974 96	30 812 13	119 787 09	195 322 70
Warrants of Prior Years Cancelled.....	364 46	—	364 46	371 29
Suspense Account from Receivers of Failed Depositories.....	—	20 000 00	20 000 00	—
TOTALS.....	\$ 8 096 451 78	\$ 6 433 008 64	\$11 710 787 02	\$ 18 939 445 06

"B"

CAPITAL ACCOUNT (PERMANENT)

STATEMENT AS OF JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (ACTUAL)

Balance

ASSETS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CASH -----	\$ 3 800 811 60	\$ 7 676 598 60	\$ 5 188 709 22	\$ 3 345 098 1
PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILWAY COM- PANY'S GUARANTEE ON SUBWAY LOAN-----	943 500 00	943 500 00	793 500 00	643 500 0
DUE FROM BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION-----	5 769 928 88	5 540 824 94	5 460 449 54	5 136 347 8
LAND, STRUCTURES, OTHER IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT -----	333 372 345 12	341 460 944 90	349 003 189 21	377 269 154 1
CASH HELD BY SINKING FUND TO PAY UNCLAIMED MATURED LOANS (INCLUDED IN FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING) -----	25 650 00	22 650 00	19 550 00	18 200 0
TOTAL ASSETS-----	\$343 912 235 60	\$355 644 518 44	\$360 465 397 97	\$356 412 301 0

Surplus

	January 1 to September 30 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1917 (estimated)
CHARGES AGAINST SURPLUS:				
Advances to General Account-----	\$ 3 910 873 73	\$ 3 539 263 10	\$ 7 450 136 83	\$ 14 111 542 1
Additional Ground Rents Payable-----	444 44	—	444 44	—
Adjustment of Property for Invoices Payable of a Prior Year-----	10 849 93	—	10 849 93	12 000 0
SURPLUS AT CLOSE OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above) -----	158 364 341 21	155 942 888 19	155 942 888 19	143 243 150 0
TOTALS -----	\$162 286 509 31	\$159 482 151 29	\$163 404 319 39	\$157 366 692 1

EXHIBIT

FUNDS AND PROPERTIES)

AND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED)

Sheet

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH:				
Vouchers Audited.....	\$ 314 927 43	\$ 86 180 88	\$ 375 578 74	\$ 345 253 09
Warrants Payable.....	71 705 84	102 372 29	48 035 55	59 870 60
INVOICES PAYABLE.....	10 849 93	6 523 02	14 348 35	12 509 14
MANDAMUSES PAYABLE.....	261 968 33	2 357 247 55	300 000 00	250 000 00
MORTGAGES PAYABLE.....	614 625 00	514 625 00	514 625 00	414 625 00
GROUND RENTS PAYABLE.....	7 861 11	8 305 55	8 305 55	8 305 55
FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING.....	120 666 450 00	131 023 450 00	138 999 650 00	172 575 050 00
Less:				
Sinking Funds Applicable (see Sinking Fund Balance Sheet)	22 265 400 00	24 339 800 00	25 000 000 00	29 000 000 00
NET FUNDED DEBT.....	\$ 98 401 050 00	\$106 683 650 00	\$113 999 650 00	143 575 050 00
RESERVE FOR DEPRECIATION ON LAND, STRUC- TURES, OTHER IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	59 939 991 99	63 181 472 94	64 261 966 59	69 503 447 54
SURPLUS—CASH OVER IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH	* 3 414 178 33	* 7 488 045 43	* 4 765 094 93	* 2 939 975 17
SURPLUS—OTHER ASSETS OVER OTHER LIABILI- TIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS.....	158 609 677 64	150 876 295 78	151 177 793 26	140 303 174 91
TOTAL SURPLUS	\$162 023 855 97	\$158 364 341 21	\$155 942 888 19	\$153 243 150 03
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS.....	\$343 912 235 60	\$355 644 518 44	\$360 465 397 97	\$386 412 301 09

* See "Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance"—Loan funds balance sheet, page 382.

Accounts

	January 1 to September 30 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31 1917 (estimated)
SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above).....	\$162 023 855 97	\$158 364 341 21	\$162 023 855 97	\$155 942 888 19
CREDITS TO SURPLUS:				
Advances from Special and Trust Account.....	29 913 91	16 451 16	46 365 07	31 278 02
Property Acquired through Assessment.....	282 403 38	64 120 98	346 524 36	420 885 80
Advances from Capital Account (Sinking Funds):				
To pay Sinking Fund Debt.....	—	1 057 800 00	1 057 800 00	1 057 800 00
Less:				
Earnings of Sinking Fund applicable to amount due from Board of Public Education.....	49 663 95	20 562 06	70 226 01	86 159 63
Net Advances from Sinking Fund Account.....	\$ 49 663 95	\$ 1 037 237 94	\$ 987 573 99	\$ 971 640 32
TOTALS	\$162 286 509 31	\$159 482 151 29	\$163 404 319 39	\$157 366 692 33

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CAPITAL ACCOUNT

STATEMENT AS OF JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 191

Balance

ASSETS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CASH -----	\$ 461 815 60	\$ 3 345 443 62	\$ 504 511 39	\$ 303 626 00
INVESTMENTS IN CITY LOANS:				
Long Term Loans-----	22 265 400 00	24 339 800 00	25 500 000 00	30 000 000 00
Temporary Loans-----	1 200 000 00	—	1 200 000 00	1 200 000 00
PREMIUMS ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED (less amortization) -----	109 877 28	127 695 78	127 094 08	166 985 50
ACCRUED INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED	—	667 04	—	—
INTEREST RECEIVABLE ACCRUED NOT DUE-----	—	219 342 43	—	—
 TOTAL ASSETS-----	 \$ 24 037 092 88	 \$ 28 032 948 87	 \$ 27 331 605 47	 \$ 31 670 612 50

Operation

	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
AMORTIZATION OF PREMIUMS ON INVESTMENTS-----	\$ 4 320 00	\$ 609 70	\$ 4 929 70	\$ 6 510 00
NET REVENUE FROM INVESTMENTS-----	635 665 57	269 988 40	905 653 97	1 049 777 50
 TOTAL -----	 \$ 639 985 57	 \$ 270 598 10	 \$ 910 583 67	 \$ 1 056 287 50

Reserves to Pay

CHARGES:				
Advances to Capital Account (permanent funds and properties account):				
To pay Sinking Fund debt-----	—	\$ 1 057 800 00	\$ 1 057 800 00	\$ 1 057 800 00
Less earnings applicable to amount due from Board of Public Education-----	\$ 49 663 95	20 562 06	70 226 01	86 159 00
Net Advances to Capital Account-----	\$ 49 663 95	\$ 1 037 237 94	\$ 987 573 99	\$ 971 640 00
RESERVES TO PAY FUNDED DEBT AT END OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above)-----	26 674 681 72	27 158 558 21	27 158 558 21	31 477 003 00
 TOTAL -----	 \$ 26 625 017 77	 \$ 28 195 796 15	 \$ 28 146 132 20	 \$ 32 448 644 00

EXHIBIT

(SINKING FUNDS)

(ACTUAL), AND DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED).

Sheet

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
UNCLAIMED INTEREST.....	\$ 31 695 30	\$ 32 043 55	\$ 31 561 51	\$ 31 628 40
UNCLAIMED MATURED LOANS.....	25 650 00	22 650 00	19 550 00	18 200 00
DISCOUNTS ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED (less amortization)	113 624 50	123 191 48	121 935 75	143 780 12
RESERVE FOR INTEREST PAYABLE ACCRUED—NOT DUE	—	1 180 382 12	—	—
RESERVES TO PAY FUNDED DEBT:				
Reserve Required (based on Investments earning 3½% per annum).....	19 693 067 09	21 998 610 48	22 205 692 01	25 531 798 60
Additional Reserve Required (3% earning basis).....	1 051 515 38	1 240 963 89	1 323 537 81	2 003 203 82
Surplus Reserve.....	3 121 540 61	3 435 107 35	3 629 328 39	3 942 001 27
TOTAL RESERVE TO PAY FUNDED DEBT	\$ 23 866 123 08	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 27 158 558 21	\$ 31 477 003 69
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RESERVE	\$ 24 037 092 88	\$ 28 032 948 87	\$ 27 331 605 47	\$ 31 670 612 21

Account

	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
REVENUE—INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS.....	\$ 633 984 46	\$ 269 342 40	\$ 903 326 86	\$ 1 045 726 86
AMORTIZATION OF DISCOUNTS ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED	6 001 11	1 255 70	7 256 81	10 560 82
TOTAL	\$ 639 985 57	\$ 270 598 10	\$ 910 583 67	\$ 1 056 287 68

Funded Debt Accounts

RESERVES TO PAY FUNDED DEBT AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above).....	\$ 23 866 123 08	\$ 26 674 681 72	\$ 23 866 123 08	\$ 27 158 558 21
CREDITS:				
Net Revenue from Investments (as above).....	635 665 57	269 988 40	905 653 97	1 049 777 39
Advances from General Account.....	2 123 229 12	1 251 126 03	3 374 355 15	4 240 308 41
TOTAL	\$ 26 625 017 77	\$ 28 195 796 15	\$ 28 146 132 20	\$ 32 448 644 01

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(Concluded)

STATEMENT AS OF JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 1916

Balance

ASSETS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CASH (APPLICABLE TO APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS)	\$ 29 795 10	\$ 29 481 07	\$ 49 591 92	\$ 59 490 31
CASH (OTHER)-----	405 755 61	772 395 40	762 715 74	884 235 61
CASH HELD BY COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND BETWEEN CITY AND P. R. T. CO.-----	—	37 977 36	81 002 05	60 238 10
INVESTMENTS (CITY LOANS) FIRE INSURANCE AC- COUNT -----	426 500 00	426 500 00	440 200 00	484 000 00
INVESTMENTS (CITY AND SCHOOL LOANS) P. R. T. SINKING FUND ACCOUNT-----	—	509 400 00	509 400 00	674 200 00
PREMIUMS ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED (less amortization):				
Fire Insurance Account-----	567 70	480 40	612 35	590 00
P. R. T. Sinking Fund Account-----	—	5 746 52	5 825 80	7 190 00
DUE FROM COMMONWEALTH:				
For Improvement of County Suburban Roads-----	182 84	—	—	—
For Harbor Improvement-----	267 056 54	161 338 59	—	—
ACCRUED INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED:				
P. R. T. Sinking Fund Account-----	—	50 00	—	—
INTEREST RECEIVABLE ACCRUED—NOT DUE—FIRE INSURANCE ACCOUNT-----	—	4 983 11	—	—
TOTAL ASSETS-----	\$ 1 129 857 79	\$ 1 948 352 45	\$ 1 848 847 86	\$ 2 169 944 28

Surplus

	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
CHARGES:				
Advances to General Account-----	\$ 88 974 96	\$ 30 812 13	\$ 119 787 09	\$ 195 322 70
Advances to Capital Account (permanent funds and properties) -----	29 913 01	16 451 16	46 365 07	31 278 02
Payments to S. P. C. A.-----	1 585 00	1 250 00	2 835 00	3 200 00
Payments to Firemen's Pension Fund-----	45 224 37	—	45 224 37	40 000 00
Closing out account due from Commonwealth—County Suburban Road Account-----	182 84	—	182 84	—
SURPLUS AT CLOSE OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above) -----	185 048 81	139 183 68	139 183 68	229 882 96
TOTALS -----	\$ 350 929 89	\$ 187 696 97	\$ 353 578 05	\$ 498 683 68

EXHIBIT

TRUST ACCOUNTS

(ACTUAL), AND DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED)

Sheet

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH:				
Vouchers Audited.....	\$ 8 670 06	\$ 5 762 05	\$ 6 635 09	\$ 6 198 57
Warrants Payable.....	—	8 80	—	—
FIRE LOSSES:				
Engine House No. 6.....	2 043 00	2 043 00		
House of Correction Laundry.....	1 089 08	739 03	8 484 69	8 050 34
House of Correction Barn.....	3 254 50	1 013 17		
Colony House No. 1—Byberry Farms.....	—	5 638 79		
DUE TO COMMONWEALTH FOR LICENSES:	—	33 098 83	—	—
DUE TO BOARD OF CITY TRUSTS:				
Girard Estate Trust Account.....	116 185 65	420 259 26	194 566 64	180 376 15
Minor City Trust Account.....	53 885 55	42 980 17	45 396 25	49 641 40
DEPOSITS OF MUNICIPAL PENSION BENEFICIARIES	72 702 39	175 333 10	211 485 73	344 485 73
RESERVES:				
Accumulated Fund—P. R. T. Sinking Fund Account....	—	546 497 96	589 804 37	735 047 93
For Losses by Fire.....	459 152 72	486 077 49	490 268 33	531 210 81
For Pensions.....	—	2 677 52	3 517 02	66 520 07
For Highway Contractor's Deposits.....	121 209 36	31 637 27	150 630 42	140 340 95
For Shade Tree Deposits.....	237 58	6 15	—	—
DISCOUNTS ON INVESTMENTS PURCHASED (less amortization):				
Fire Insurance Account.....	3 063 48	2 855 13	2 952 16	3 740 19
P. R. T. Sinking Fund Account.....	—	6 675 92	5 923 43	6 580 27
SURPLUS—CASH OVER IMMEDIATE DEMANDS FOR CASH	* 21 125 04	* 23 710 22	* 42 956 83	* 53 291 6
SURPLUS—OTHER ASSETS OVER OTHER LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	267 239 38	161 338 59	96 226 85	176 591 24
TOTAL SURPLUS	\$ 288 364 42	\$ 185 048 81	\$ 139 183 68	\$ 229 882 96
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS	\$ 1 129 857 79	\$ 1 948 352 45	\$ 1 848 847 56	\$ 2 169 944 23

* See Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance—Special and Trust Funds Balance Sheet, page 382.

Accounts

	January 1 to September 30, 1916 (actual)	October 1 to December 31, 1916 (estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1916 (actual and estimated)	January 1 to December 31, 1917 (estimated)
SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD (see Balance Sheet above)	\$ 288 364 42	\$ 185 048 81	\$ 288 364 42	\$ 139 183 63
CREDITS:				
Part Account Receipts under Act of Assembly of April 14, 1868.....	14 580 49	1 860 16	16 440 65	17 000 00
Receipts from P. R. T. Co. under agreement of May 24, 1906 for abolition of grade crossings.....	395 61	—	395 61	—
Receipts for account of S. P. C. A.....	2 365 00	788 00	3 153 00	3 500 00
Receipts for account of Firemen's Pension Fund.....	45 224 37	—	45 224 37	40 000 00
Appropriation by Commonwealth in 1917 for improvement of the harbor.....	—	—	—	300 000 00
TOTALS	\$ 350 929 89	\$ 187 696 97	\$ 353 578 05	\$ 499 683 63

COMPARATIVE FUND
STATEMENT AS OF JANUARY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 1917
General

DEBIT BALANCES	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND NET CASH ASSETS:				
City Controller's Estimated Receipts.....	\$ 31 827 088 71	\$ 3 424 824 67	—	—
Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance.....	* 1 342 009 18	* 5 139 533 83	*\$2 013 732 28	*\$ 2 533 985 6
TOTAL DEBIT BALANCES.....	\$ 33 169 097 89	\$ 8 564 358 50	\$ 2 013 732 28	\$ 2 533 985 6

* See "Surplus—Cash Over Immediate Demands for Cash"—General Account Balance Sheet, page 374.

Loan

LOANS AUTHORIZED AND NET CASH ASSETS:				
Loans Authorized and Unissued.....	\$ 21 710 000 00	\$125 150 000 00	\$115 150 000 00	\$ 79 550 800 0
Unapplied (Net Cash Balance).....	† 3 414 178 33	† 7 488 045 43	† 4 765 094 93	† 2 939 975 1
TOTAL DEBIT BALANCES.....	\$ 25 124 178 33	\$132 638 045 43	\$119 915 094 93	\$ 82 490 775 1

† See "Surplus—Cash Over Immediate Demands for Cash"—Capital Account (permanent funds and properties)

Special and

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND NET CASH ASSETS:				
Estimated Receipts	\$ 87 309 00	\$ 44 944 00	—	—
Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance.....	● 21 125 04	● 23 710 22	● \$ 42 956 83	● \$ 53 291 7
TOTAL DEBIT BALANCES.....	\$ 108 434 04	\$ 68 654 22	\$ 42 956 83	\$ 53 291 7

● See "Surplus—Cash Over Immediate Demands for Cash"—Special and Trust Account Balance Sheet, page 380

BALANCE SHEET

(ACTUAL), AND DECEMBER 31, 1916 AND 1917 (ESTIMATED)

Fund

CREDIT BALANCES	January 1, 1916 (actual)	September 30, 1916 (actual)	December 31, 1916 (estimated)	December 31, 1917 (estimated)
APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (UNEXPENDED BALANCES) -----	\$ 32 175 486 21	\$ 8 551 011 77	\$ 603 732 28	\$ 633 985 68
Unencumbered Balance of Appropriations-----	\$ 31 958 094 64	\$ 6 402 217 53	\$ 343 678 02	\$ 401 537 59
Reserve for Contracts-----	217 391 57	2 148 794 24	260 054 26	232 448 09
UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCES:				
Funds Available for Appropriation-----	993 611 68	364 46	1 410 000 00	1 900 000 00
Reserve for Mandamus-----	—	12 982 27	—	—
TOTAL CREDIT BALANCES-----	\$ 33 169 097 89	\$ 8 564 358 50	\$ 2 013 732 28	\$ 2 533 985 68

Funds

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (UNEXPENDED BALANCES):	\$ 23 721 492 97	\$131 837 135 70	\$119 114 185 20	\$ 82 490 775 17
Unencumbered Balance of Appropriations-----	\$ 13 600 867 97	\$ 13 819 861 48	\$103 348 987 19	\$ 43 847 670 63
Reserve for Contracts-----	10 120 625 00	8 466 477 22	15 765 198 01	38 643 104 54
Reserve for \$67,100,000 (1916) and \$42,450,797 (1916) Loans Authorized and Unissued-----	—	109 550 797 00	—	—
UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCES:				
Funds Available for Appropriation-----	1 402 685 36	800 909 73	800 909 73	—
TOTAL CREDIT BALANCES-----	\$ 25 124 178 33	\$132 638 045 43	\$119 915 094 93	\$ 82 490 775 17

Balance Sheet, page 376.

Trust Funds

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (UNEXPENDED BALANCES) -----	\$ 96 354 67	\$ 54 073 73	\$ 26 516 18	\$ 36 291 76
Unencumbered Balance of Appropriations-----	\$ 96 167 67	\$ 49 570 35	\$ 26 516 18	\$ 36 291 76
Reserve for Contracts-----	187 00	4 503 38	—	—
UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCES:				
Funds Available for Appropriation-----	12 079 37	14 580 49	16 440 65	17 000 00
TOTAL CREDIT BALANCES-----	\$ 108 434 04	\$ 68 654 22	\$ 42 956 83	\$ 53 291 76

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**GENERAL ACCOUNT RECEIPTS APPLICABLE TO CITY CONTROLLER'S
ESTIMATE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER
30, 1916, COMPARED WITH THOSE OF THE SAME
PERIOD IN 1915**

Source of Receipt	Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1916	Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1915	Increase	Decrease
Tax Levy—Real Estate	\$ 13 945 413 68	\$ 13 495 159 78	\$ 450 253 90	—
Personal Property Taxes.....	2 352 339 57	2 253 876 19	98 463 38	—
Delinquent Taxes	1 026 899 21	1 070 577 95	—	\$ 43 673 74
Delinquent Personal Property Taxes.....	8 269 62	4 467 13	3 802 49	—
Delinquent Public Building Taxes.....	1 72	8 14	—	6 42
Poll Taxes	5 007 60	53 615 40	—	48 607 80
United Gas Improvement Company—Pro- portion of Gas Receipts.....	{ 10 000 00 1 557 966 03	{ 10 000 00 1 478 735 03	79 231 00	—
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Com- pany—Interest on Subway Loan.....	16 511 25	19 136 25	—	2 625 00
School District of Philadelphia—Sinking Fund and Interest Charges.....	385 313 10	389 415 36	—	4 102 26
Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company—Re- pairs	375 000 02	383 007 13	—	8 007 11
City and County Departments and Bu- reaus:				
01. Clerks of Councils (Printing of Ordinances)	1 300 00	1 400 00	—	100 00
02. Mayor	28 396 00	28 018 00	378 00	—
04. City Treasurer	1 938 820 51	1 942 398 22	—	3 577 71
07. Law Department	210 183 29	212 639 41	—	2 501 12
08. Department of Supplies.....	37 590 42	25 642 81	11 947 61	—
10. City Commissioners	226 30	366 23	—	139 93
11. Clerk of the Courts.....	34 032 85	33 270 05	762 80	—
12. Prothonotary	83 116 02	74 302 69	8 813 33	—
13. Coroner	1 161 00	—	1 161 00	—
14. Recorder of Deeds	172 496 55	159 577 35	12 919 20	—
15. Register of Wills	101 898 61	95 644 58	6 254 03	—
17. Sheriff	76 662 68	81 163 00	—	4 500 32
21. Bureau of Police	7 383 73	3 055 15	4 328 58	—
23. do Boiler Inspection	17 646 65	15 209 45	2 437 20	—
24. do Building Inspection	59 193 00	64 938 00	—	5 745 00
25. do Elevator Inspection	33 585 00	35 173 00	—	1 588 00
27. do Correction	17 159 87	19 696 32	—	2 536 45
28. Electrical Bureau	286 936 55	59 496 96	227 439 59	—
30. Department of Health and Char- ities—Director's Office	26 080 34	30 725 27	—	4 644 93
31. Bureau of Health	42 770 61	44 790 09	—	2 019 48
31A. Board of Health.....	7 859 82	9 192 55	—	1 332 73
32. Bureau of Charities	208 313 09	201 196 43	7 116 66	—
41. do Surveys	107 303 49	114 292 31	—	6 988 82
42. do Highways	53 446 49	46 905 43	6 541 06	—
42A. Board of Highway Supervisors.....	4 526 65	4 813 05	—	286 40
43. Bureau of Water	4 609 545 92	4 645 675 18	—	36 129 26
45. do Gas	26 00	39 00	—	13 00
46. do City Property	50 709 22	57 294 90	—	6 585 63
50. County Prisons	9 913 69	3 733 24	6 180 45	—
72. Board of Recreation.....	366 25	15 48	350 77	—
80. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries	145 713 92	77 441 72	68 272 20	—
Magistrates' Costs, Fines and Fees.....	46 788 80	44 378 95	2 409 85	—
Jitney Licenses	400 00	1 050 00	—	650 00
Employment Agents' Licenses	—	600 00	—	600 00
Operators' Licenses	305 00	945 00	—	550 00
Moving Picture Licenses	19 600 00	23 200 00	—	3 600 00
Real Estate Search Fees	9 340 20	8 483 45	856 75	—
Suspense Account (from receivers of failed depositories)	—	6 471 92	—	6 471 92
Premiums on Loans Sold	164 875 04	—	164 875 04	—
Accrued Interest on Loans Sold.....	6 430 77	14 371 56	—	7 940 79
Interest on City Deposits	93 394 81	128 453 46	—	35 063 65
Miscellaneous General Account Receipts.....	3 948 10	6 022 18	—	2 074 08
TOTALS	\$ 28 402 264 04	\$ 27 480 135 75	\$ 1 164 794 89	\$ 242 666 60
EXCESS OF INCREASES OVER DE- CREASES	—	—	\$ 922 128 29	—

**EXPENDITURES (COUNTERSIGNMENTS) FOR FIRST NINE MONTHS OF
1916 AND 1915, INCLUDING GENERAL, LOAN AND SPECIAL FUNDS
(DIRECT AND THROUGH DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES),
WITH INCREASES AND DECREASES**

Department or Bureau	Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1916	Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1915	Increase	Decrease
01. Clerks of Councils.....	\$ 137 841 85	\$ 117 737 19	\$ 20 104 66	—
02. Mayor	464 581 49	406 828 39	57 753 10	—
03. City Controller	77 826 93	72 380 42	5 446 51	—
04. City Treasurer	7 944 599 90	5 874 949 42	2 069 650 48	—
05. Board of Revision of Taxes.....	205 957 52	206 446 18	—	\$ 488 66
06. Receiver of Taxes.....	236 426 06	230 983 74	5 442 32	—
07. Law Department	144 166 18	130 822 75	13 343 43	—
08. Department of Supplies (itself).....	76 328 91	74 835 03	1 493 88	—
09. Civil Service Commission.....	42 490 12	44 984 50	—	2 494 38
10. City Commissioners	1 590 747 78	1 532 467 00	58 280 78	—
11. Clerk of the Courts.....	92 795 47	82 571 83	10 223 64	—
12. Prothonotary	86 675 41	82 051 97	4 623 44	—
13. Coroner	53 083 89	47 290 89	5 793 00	—
14. Recorder of Deeds.....	210 714 93	195 688 56	15 026 42	—
15. Register of Wills.....	70 147 99	65 098 45	5 049 54	—
16. District Attorney	71 598 56	78 636 03	—	7 037 47
17. Sheriff	134 143 95	121 504 68	12 639 27	—
20. Director of Public Safety.....	34 769 14	24 357 06	10 412 08	—
21. Bureau of Police	3 441 787 55	3 108 677 36	333 110 19	—
22. do Fire	1 198 665 73	1 038 379 30	160 286 34	—
23. do Boiler Inspection	15 552 45	16 812 58	—	1 260 13
24. do Building Inspection	62 076 22	60 715 76	1 360 46	—
25. do Elevator Inspection	28 050 38	28 671 34	—	620 96
27. do Correction	125 802 35	176 654 91	—	50 852 56
28. Electrical Bureau	1 237 970 01	1 174 683 02	63 286 99	—
30. Director of Health and Charities.....	30 249 50	120 921 46	—	90 671 96
31. Bureau of Health	468 782 59	501 024 45	—	32 241 86
32. do Charities	1 162 023 00	1 287 705 21	—	125 682 21
40. Director of Public Works.....	42 328 78	36 974 31	5 354 47	—
41. Bureau of Surveys	1 438 085 62	1 456 868 70	—	18 783 08
42. do Highways	3 855 969 07	3 647 938 68	208 030 39	—
43. do Water	1 913 529 61	1 936 245 14	—	22 715 53
44. do Lighting	401 166 52	394 084 95	7 081 57	—
45. do Gas	5 285 72	5 463 63	—	177 91
46. do City Property	553 225 72	455 106 50	98 119 22	—
50. Reed Street Prison	133 306 56	147 759 51	—	14 452 95
51. Holmesburg Prison	197 880 53	196 814 66	1 065 87	—
64. Art Jury	2 307 69	1 959 82	347 87	—
70. Commissioners of Fairmount Park..	728 072 49	871 641 65	—	143 569 16
72. Board of Recreation.....	205 115 40	115 469 34	89 646 06	—
80. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries	555 017 23	848 884 70	—	293 867 47
85. Department of City Transit.....	1 091 332 89	395 869 21	695 463 68	—
90. Sinking Fund Commission.....	26 481 90	26 632 75	—	150 85
TOTALS	\$ 30 594 961 64	\$ 27 441 593 12	\$ 3 153 368 52	—
General Fund	\$ 24 113 561 41	\$ 22 981 933 24	\$ 1 131 628 17	—
Loan Funds	6 315 701 99	4 368 548 12	1 947 153 87	—
Special Funds	165 698 24	91 111 76	74 586 48	—
TOTALS	\$ 30 594 961 64	\$ 27 441 593 12	\$ 3 153 368 52	—

ESTIMATED LOAN FUND EXPENDITURES FOR LAST QUARTER OF 1916 AND YEAR 1917.

Estimates by the Various Departments and Bureaus of Their Expenditures.

Department or Bureau	Oct. 1 to Dec. 31, 1916		Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1917	
	Current Expenses	Permanent Improvements	Current Expenses	Permanent Improvements
01. Clerks of Councils.....	\$ 1 500 00	—	—	—
02. Mayor	31 502 31	\$ 1 000 00	\$ 11 300 00	\$ 2 500 000 00
03. City Controller	4 202 45	—	—	—
04. City Treasurer	117 737 33	4 200 000 00	78 292 37	4 500 000 00
05. Revision of Taxes.....	—	—	—	—
06. Receiver of Taxes.....	12 200 00	—	—	—
07. Law	10 000 00	1 750 000 00	—	3 175 901 00
08. Supplies	—	—	—	—
09. Civil Service	—	—	—	—
10. City Commissioners	—	49 928 30	248 147 20	—
11. Clerk of the Courts	—	—	—	—
12. Prothonotary	—	—	—	—
13. Coroner	—	—	—	—
14. Recorder of Deeds.....	7 500 00	—	—	—
15. Register of Wills.....	—	—	—	—
16. District Attorney	5 800 00	—	—	—
17. Sheriff	—	—	—	—
20. Public Safety—Director's Office.....	—	—	—	—
21. Police	1 300 000 00	30 000 00	150 000 00	5 000 00
22. Fire	460 000 00	60 000 00	—	450 000 00
23. Boiler Inspection	—	—	—	—
24. Building Inspection	2 625 00	25 00	—	—
25. Elevator Inspection	1 719 50	—	—	—
27. Correction	96 300 00	5 000 00	200 00	84 000 00
28. Electrical	40 000 00	—	100 000 00	—
30. Health and Charities—Director's Office.....	900 00	—	5 000 00	—
31. Health	45 940 00	26 179 55	—	—
32. Charities	160 922 21	36 820 38	—	600 000 00
40. Public Works—Director's Office.....	1 045 00	—	1 100 00	—
41. Surveys	—	750 000 00	—	7 630 000 00
42. Highways	400 000 00	433 000 00	30 000 00	3 310 000 00
43. Water	100 000 00	200 000 00	—	700 000 00
44. Lighting	—	—	—	—
45. Gas	—	—	—	—
46. City Property	58 110 00	40 038 00	—	115 366 00
52. Inspectors of County Prisons.....	22 894 35	—	—	—
64. Art Jury	—	—	—	—
70. Fairmount Park	—	50 000 00	101 228 18	104 265 52
72. Recreation	—	25 000 00	—	250 000 00
80. Wharves, Docks and Ferries.....	30 000 00	* 500 000 00	13 000 00	* 3 400 000 00
85. City Transit	—	1 420 000 00	—	{ 1 975 000 00
90. Sinking Fund	—	—	—	* 7 905 000 00
Totals.....	\$ 2 910 898 15	\$ 9 576 991 23	\$ 738 267 75	\$ 36 704 532 52
Totals by years.....	—	\$ 12 487 889 38	—	\$ 37 442 800 27
Totals by loans:				
\$ 67,100,000 (1916) Loan.....	\$ 500 000 00	—	\$ 11 305 000 00	—
All other loans.....	11 987 889 38	—	26 137 800 27	—

* Sinking fund and interest on \$67,100,000 (1916) transit loan from loan funds during construction and first year of operation.

SINKING FUND AND INTEREST REQUIREMENTS—1917

Name of Loan	Amount Outstanding Jan. 1, 1917	Rate of Interest	Sinking Fund Requirements—1917		
			Total	Sinking Fund	Interest
\$6 000 000 (1894)-----	\$ 1 587 000	3½ per cent.	\$ 225 000 00	\$ 169 455 00	\$ 55 545 00
2 000 000 (1896)-----	800 000	3½ per cent.	115 000 00	87 000 00	28 000 00
650 000 (1897)-----	325 000	3½ per cent.	35 169 36	23 794 36	11 375 00
1 306 000 (1898)-----	618 300	3 per cent.	68 565 00	47 016 00	21 549 00
11 200 000 (1898)-----	{ 3 360 000	{ 3 per cent.	530 000 00	344 200 00	205 800 00
	{ 1 400 000	{ 3½ per cent.			
	{ 1 400 000	{ 4 per cent.			
12 000 000 (1900)-----	{ 3 000 000	{ 3 per cent.	634 280 64	229 280 64	405 000 00
	{ 9 000 000	{ 3½ per cent.			
	{ 5 000 000	{ 3½ per cent.			
5 000 000 (1902)-----	5 000 000	3½ per cent.	270 533 60	95 533 60	175 000 00
16 000 000 (1904)-----	16 000 000	3½ per cent.	865 707 52	305 707 52	560 000 00
4 000 000 (1906)-----	4 000 000	4 per cent.	193 574 51	62 574 51	131 000 00
13 500 000 (1907)-----	{ 125 000	{ 3½ per cent.	797 315 72	257 940 72	539 375 00
	{ 13 375 000	{ 4 per cent.			
10 000 000 (1908)-----	10 000 000	4 per cent.	591 067 20	131 067 20	400 000 00
3 500 000 (1908)-----	3 500 000	4 per cent.	206 873 52	66 873 52	140 000 00
5 739 700 (1909)-----	5 739 700	4 per cent.	339 254 84	109 666 84	229 588 00
5 000 000 (1910)-----	5 000 000	4 per cent.	295 533 60	95 533 60	200 000 00
2 300 000 (1911)-----	2 300 000	4 per cent.	135 945 46	43 945 46	92 000 00
9 750 000 (1911)-----	9 750 000	4 per cent.	576 290 52	186 290 52	390 000 00
4 225 000 (1912)-----	4 225 000	4 per cent.	249 725 89	80 725 89	169 000 00
7 000 000 (1913)-----	7 000 000	4 per cent.	413 747 04	133 747 04	280 000 00
2 200 000 (1913)-----	2 200 000	4 per cent.	130 034 78	42 034 78	88 000 00
3 160 000 (1914)-----	3 160 000	4 per cent.	186 777 24	60 377 24	126 400 00
11 300 000 (1915)-----	6 000 000	4 per cent.	354 640 32	114 640 32	240 000 00
4 325 000 (1915)-----	2 000 000	4 per cent.	118 213 44	38 213 44	80 000 00
6 000 000 (1915)-----	3 000 000	4 per cent.	177 320 16	57 320 16	120 000 00
42 450 797 (1916)-----	7 500 000	4 per cent.	443 300 40	143 300 40	300 000 00
† 67 100 000 (1916)-----	2 500 000	4 per cent.	121 852 85	21 852 85	100 000 00
TOTALS-----			\$ 8 095 723 61	\$ 3 008 091 61	\$ 5 087 632 00

ESTIMATED 1917 SINKING FUND AND INTEREST REQUIREMENTS
ON LOANS ESTIMATED TO BE ISSUED IN 1917

Name of Loan	Amount Outstanding Jan. 1, 1917	Estimated date of Issue	Estimated amount of Issue	Sinking Fund Requirements—1917		
				Total	Sinking Fund	Interest
\$ 11 300 000 (1915)-----	\$ 6 000 000	January 1, 1917	\$ 5 300 000	\$ 313 265 62	\$ 101 265 62	\$ 212 000 00
* 4 974 203 (1916)-----	—	do	4 974 203	1 117 955 51	918 987 39	198 968 12
67 100 000 (1916)-----	2 500 000	do	5 000 000	243 705 70	43 705 70	200 000 00
4 325 000 (1915)-----	2 000 000	July 1, 1917	2 325 000	68 711 56	22 211 56	46 500 00
6 000 000 (1915)-----	3 000 000	do	3 000 000	88 660 08	28 660 08	60 000 00
42 450 797 (1916)-----	7 500 000	do	10 000 000	295 533 60	95 533 60	200 000 00
† 67 100 000 (1916)-----	2 500 000	do	5 000 000	121 852 85	21 852 85	100 000 00
TOTALS-----				\$35 599 203	\$2 249 684 92	\$1 017 468 12

* \$4,974,203 loan is for five years.

† \$67,100,000 loan is for fifty years and sinking fund and interest during construction and first year of operation are payable from loan funds.

SINKING FUND CASH—JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916

CASH BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1916..... \$ 461 815 60

RECEIPTS JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916:

Reserve to Pay Funded Debt on Loans Outstanding, January 1, 1916.....	\$ 2 022 536 72
Interest on Loans Outstanding, January 1, 1916.	3 230 346 36
Reserve on Loans issued in 1916.....	100 692 41
Interest on Loans issued in 1916.....	210 800 00
Temporary Loan Matured.....	1 200 000 00
Income from Investments.....	408 987 42
Interest on Bank Deposits.....	22 209 26
Income Applicable to Accrued Interest.....	1 685 03
Income Applicable to School Debt.....	33 109 30
Unclaimed Interest Returned.....	988 25

TOTAL RECEIPTS.....\$ 7 231 354 75

\$ 7 693 170 35

DISBURSEMENTS, JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916:

Purchase of \$2,074,400, par value of City Loans..	\$ 2 083 824 11
Semi-Annual Interest on Sinking Fund Debt	
Outstanding	2 260 262 62
Unclaimed Matured Loans Redeemed.....	3 000 00
Unclaimed Interest Paid.....	640 00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS.....\$ 4 347 726 73

CASH BALANCE, SINKING FUND ACCOUNT, SEPTEMBER 30,

1916\$ 3 345 443 62

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES OF SINKING FUND CASH—OCTOBER 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1916

CASH BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916..... \$ 3 345 443 62
 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, SEPTEMBER 30 TO DECEMBER 31, 1916:

Reserve to Pay Debt on Loans outstanding	
September 30, 1916.....	\$ 723 665 30
Interest on Loans outstanding September 30, 1916	1 180 382 13
Matured Investments, December 31, 1916.....	336 300 00
Reserve to Pay Debt on New Loans issued	
October 1 to December 31, 1916.....	38 525 54
Interest on New Loans.....	66 666 67
Income on Investments.....	481 982 63
Interest on Bank Deposits.....	25 263 96

TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS..... 2 852 786 23

\$ 6 198 229 85

ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS, SEPTEMBER 30 TO DECEMBER 31, 1916:

Semi-Annual Interest on Sinking Fund Loans	
due December 31, 1916.....	\$ 2 426 929 29
Temporary Loan to General Account.....	1 200 000 00
Investments in City Loans.....	1 007 773 17
Debt maturing December 31, 1916.....	1 057 800 00
Unclaimed Interest Paid.....	1 216 00

TOTAL ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS..... 5 693 718 46

ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 1916..... \$ 504 511 39

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES OF SINKING FUND CASH IN 1917

ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1917..... \$ 504 511 39

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1917:

Reserve to Pay Debt on Loans outstanding	
January 1, 1917.....	\$ 3 008 091 61
Interest on loans outstanding January 1, 1917.	5 087 632 00
Reserve to Pay Debt on New Loans.....	1 232 216 80
Interest on New Loans.....	1 017 468 12
Temporary Loan matured.....	1 200 000 00
Matured Investments	480 000 00
Income on Investments	1 220 590 16
Interest on Bank Deposits.....	26 301 50

TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS..... 13 272 300 19

\$ 13 776 811 58

ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS, JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1917:

Interest Due on Sinking Fund Loans.....	\$ 6 105 100 12
Temporary Loan to General Account.....	1 200 000 00
Investments in City Loans.....	5 106 959 93
Debt maturing December 31, 1917.....	1 057 800 00
Unclaimed Interest and Loans Paid.....	3 325 00

TOTAL ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS..... 13 473 185 05

ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 1917..... \$ 303 626 53

FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

FUNDED DEBT, JANUARY 1, 1916-----\$ 120 666 450 00

INCREASE:

\$13,500,000 (1907) loan, amount negotiated-----	\$ 1 000 000 00
7,000,000 (1913) loan, amount negotiated-----	700 000 00
3,160,000 (1914) loan, amount negotiated-----	660 000 00
11,300,000 (1915) loan, amount negotiated-----	3 000 000 00
4,325,000 (1915) loan, amount negotiated-----	2 000 000 00
6,000,000 (1915) loan, amount negotiated-----	3 000 000 00
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	\$ 10 360 000 00
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	\$ 131 026 450 00

REDUCTION:

UNCLAIMED MATURED LOANS REDEEMED----- 3 000 00

FUNDED DEBT, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (see Capital Account
Balance Sheet, page 34)-----\$ 131 023 450 00

LESS:

*INVESTMENTS (City Loans) HELD BY SINKING FUND
COMMISSION, APPLICABLE TO FUNDED DEBT---- 24 339 800 00

NET FUNDED DEBT, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (See Capital Ac-
count Balance Sheet)-----\$ 106 683 650 00

* By a decision of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, filed May 31, 1894, the City loans held by the Sinking Fund Commissioners are no longer a part of the debt of the City of Philadelphia.

FIRE INSURANCE FUND, CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

Ordinance of March 29, 1904

CASH BALANCE IN FIRE INSURANCE FUND, JANUARY
1, 1916 ----- \$ 41 535 08

CASH RECEIPTS:

Annual Appropriations -----	\$ 25 000 00
Interest on deposits-----	622 76
Interest on investments-----	7 964 00
Sale of old material-----	622 50
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Total receipts -----	34 209 26
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	\$ 75 744 34

CASH DISBURSEMENTS:

On account of fire losses-----	\$ 7 960 13
Adjusters' fees -----	380 00
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Total disbursements -----	8 340 13

CASH BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916----- \$ 67 404 21

PAR VALUE OF INVESTMENTS (CITY LOANS) HELD BY
FIRE INSURANCE FUND, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916----- \$ 426 500 00

**ESTIMATED FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING FOR LAST QUARTER OF
1916 AND YEAR 1917**

FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916----- \$ 131 023 450

ADD:

To be issued in November, 1916:

\$42,450,797 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	\$ 7 500 000	
67,100,000 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	2 500 000	
		<hr/> 10 000 000
		<hr/> \$ 141 023 450

DEDUCT:

Debt to be paid November 1, 1916-----	\$ 230 000	
Debt to be paid December 31, 1916-----	1 793 800	
		<hr/> 2 023 800

**TOTAL ESTIMATED FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING, DE-
CEMBER 31, 1916-----** \$ 138 999 650

ADD:

Estimated to be issued in January, 1917:

\$11,300,000 (1915) loan, portion to be issued-----	\$ 5 300 000	
4,974,203 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	4 974 200	
67,100,000 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	5 000 000	
		<hr/> 15 274 200

Estimated to be issued in July, 1917:

\$4,325,000 (1915) loan, portion to be issued-----	\$ 2 325 000	
6,000,000 (1915) loan, portion to be issued-----	3 000 000	
42,450,797 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	10 000 000	
67,100,000 (1916) loan, portion to be issued-----	5 000 000	
		<hr/> 20 325 000
		<hr/> \$ 174 598 850

DEDUCT:

Debt to be paid November 1, 1917-----	\$ 230 000	
Debt to be paid December 31, 1917-----	1 793 800	
		<hr/> 2 023 800

**TOTAL ESTIMATED FUNDED DEBT OUTSTANDING, DE-
CEMBER 31, 1917-----** \$ 172 575 050

DUE FROM BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

Funded Debt of City of Philadelphia Assumed by Board of Public Education and Sinking Funds Applicable Thereto as of September 30, 1916

NAME OF LOAN	Nature of Loan	Date of Authorization of Loan	Total Amount Awarded to Schools	Amount Awarded to Schools and Outstanding Oct. 1, 1916	Sinking Funds Applicable Oct. 1, 1916	Proportion of Serial Loans Received Quarterly	Net School Debt Oct. 1, 1916
Non-Sinking Fund Loans:							
\$ 4,600,000..	Serial	April 1, 1890	\$ 870 000 00	\$ 174 000 00	—	\$ 32 625 00	\$ 141 375 00
3,000,000..	Serial	April 3, 1894	750 000 00	300 000 00	—	25 125 00	271 875 00
1,200,000..	Serial	June 18, 1895	140 000 00	63 000 00	—	5 250 00	57 750 00
TOTAL NON-SINKING FUND LOANS			\$ 1 760 000 00	\$ 537 000 00	—	\$ 66 000 00	\$ 471 000 00
Sinking Fund Loans:							
\$ 11,200,000..	Serial	June 17, 1898	\$ 900 000 00	\$ 540 000 00	\$ 108 768 55	\$ 23 750 00	\$ 397 481 45
5,000,000..	Term	June 11, 1902	1 200 000 00	1 200 000 00	454 393 68	—	745 606 32
16,000,000..	Term	Mar. 18, 1904	2 200 000 00	2 200 000 00	686 317 21	—	1 513 682 79
10,000,000..	Term	April 15, 1908	2 500 000 00	2 500 000 00	513 023 32	—	1 956 976 68
5,000,000..	Term	July 14, 1910	500 000 00	500 000 00	73 922 30	—	426 077 70
TOTAL SINKING FUND LOANS			\$ 7 300 000 00	\$ 6 940 000 00	\$ 1 836 425 06	\$ 33 750 00	\$ 5 069 824 94
TOTAL ASSUMED			\$ 9 060 000 00	\$ 7 477 000 00	\$ 1 836 425 06	\$ 99 750 00	\$ 5 540 824 94

DETAILED STATEMENT OF 1917 CARRYING CHARGES ON SCHOOL DEBT ASSUMED BY BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

Name of Loan	Nature of Loan	Date of Authorization of Loan	Total	Payments to Sinking Fund	Payments of Principal	Payments of Interest
Non-Sinking Fund Loans:						
\$ 4,600,000.....	Serial	April 1, 1890	\$ 47 415 00	—	\$ 43 500 00	\$ 3 915 00
3,000,000.....	Serial	April 3, 1894	46 687 50	—	37 500 00	9 187 50
1,200,000.....	Serial	June 18, 1895	8 680 00	—	7 000 00	1 680 00
TOTAL NON-SINKING FUND LOANS			\$ 102 782 50	—	\$ 88 000 00	\$ 14 782 50
Sinking Fund Loans:						
\$ 11,200,000.....	Serial	June 17, 1898	\$ 44 196 42	\$ 27 658 92	—	\$ 16 537 50
5,000,000.....	Term	June 11, 1902	64 923 06	22 923 06	—	42 000 00
16,000,000.....	Term	Mar. 18, 1904	119 034 78	42 034 78	—	77 000 00
10,000,000.....	Term	April 15, 1908	147 766 80	47 766 80	—	100 000 00
5,000,000.....	Term	July 14, 1910	29 553 36	9 553 36	—	20 000 00
TOTAL SINKING FUND LOANS			\$ 405 479 42	\$ 149 941 92	—	\$ 255 537 50
GRAND TOTAL			\$ 508 261 92	\$ 149 941 92	\$ 88 000 00	\$ 270 320 00

SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES, SEPTEMBER 30 AND JANUARY 1, 1916.

CASH BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1916 (distributed as below).....	\$7 479 193 42
CASH RECEIPTS FROM JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916:	
GENERAL ACCOUNT	\$28 440 239 33
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	17 620 923 84
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS	4 451 817 98

50 512 981 15

Total \$57 992 174 57

CASH DISBURSEMENTS FROM JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916:

GENERAL ACCOUNT	\$25 817 067 20
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	10 861 508 82
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS	4 085 492 22

40 764 068 24

TOTAL CASH BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916 (distributed as below) \$17 228 106 33

DISTRIBUTION OF CASH BALANCES:	Jan. 1, 1916	Sept. 30, 1916
GENERAL ACCOUNT	\$2 781 015 51	\$5 404 187 64
CAPITAL ACCOUNT:		
Loan Accounts	3 800 811 60	7 676 598 60
Sinking Fund Account	461 815 60	3 345 443 62
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS:		
Park Account	12 448 95	16 781 85
Feeble-Minded Building Account	6 838 38	5 219 38
State Harbor Improvement Account	7 427 34	—
P. R. T. Account	2 229 43	1 474 47
S. P. C. A. Account	851 00	781 00
Firemen's Pension Account	—	5 224 37
Fire Insurance Account	41 535 08	67 404 21
Highway Contractors' Account	121 209 36	31 637 27
Girard Estate Trust Account	116 185 65	420 259 26
Minor City Trust Account	53 885 55	42 980 17
Municipal Pension Account	72 702 39	177 009 51
State License Account	—	33 098 83
Shade Tree Account	237 58	6 15
Totals	\$7 479 193 42	\$17 228 106 33

The above cash balances are made up as follows:

	Jan. 1, 1916	Sept. 30, 1916
City Fund	\$7 236 182 25	\$16 554 752 41
Girard Estate Trust Account	116 185 65	420 259 26
Minor City Trust Account	53 885 55	42 980 17
Municipal Pension Account	72 702 39	177 009 51
State License Account	—	33 098 83
Shade Tree Account	237 58	6 15
Totals (as above)	\$7 479 193 42	\$17 228 106 33

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS FOR 1916 AND 1917 AND ACTUAL

SOURCE OF RECEIPT	Departmental Estimate of Receipts for 1916
GENERAL ACCOUNT	
Tax Levy, less average uncollected.....	\$ 15 700 000 00
Delinquent Taxes	1 300 000 00
Personal Property Tax (4 mills).....	2 280 000 00
Delinquent Personal Property Tax.....	60 000 00
Poll Tax	55 000 00
Public Building Tax	—
Public Service Corporations:	
The United Gas Improvement Company:	
Twenty per cent. of gas receipts as per lease.....	2 000 000 00
For the salary of meter inspectors.....	10 000 00
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company:	
On account of principal of subway loan:	
Annual Series	150 000 00
Interest on Subway Loan.....	33 022 50
Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company:	
For repairing streets occupied by passenger railways.....	500 000 00
Board of Public Education:	
Sinking Fund and Interest Charges on School Loans.....	513 750 80
City and County Departments and Offices:	
01. Councils (Printing of Ordinances).....	1 550 00
02. Mayor	27 837 00
04. City Treasurer	1 945 000 00
07. Law Department	260 000 00
08. Department of Supplies.....	26 000 00
10. City Commissioners	—
11. Clerk of the Courts.....	43 000 00
12. Prothonotary	170 400 00
13. Coroner	—
14. Recorder of Deeds.....	220 000 00
15. Register of Wills.....	143 000 00
17. Sheriff	180 000 00
21. Bureau of Police.....	3 000 00
22. Bureau of Fire	—
23. Bureau of Boiler Inspection.....	19 000 00
24. Bureau of Building Inspection.....	75 000 00
25. Bureau of Elevator Inspection.....	50 000 00
27. Bureau of Correction.....	27 000 00
28. Electrical Bureau	155 000 00
30. Department of Public Health and Charities.....	43 000 00
31. Bureau of Health.....	75 280 00
31A. Board of Health (Health Officer).....	}
32. Bureau of Charities.....	268 135 00

RECEIPTS FROM JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916.

City Controller's Legal Estimate of Receipts for 1916 (based on five years' average)	Receipts of General, Loan and Special Accounts from January 1 to September 30, 1916	Departmental Estimate of Receipts from October 1 to December 31, 1916	Departmental Estimate of Receipts for 1917	City Controller's Legal Estimate of Receipts for 1917 (based on five years' average)
\$ 15 892 749 61 1 319 657 78 2 093 585 82 131 027 54 56 591 90 42 25	\$ 13 945 413 68 1 026 899 21 2 352 339 57 8 269 62 5 007 60 1 72	\$ 1 700 000 00 275 000 00 75 000 00 40 000 00 50 000 00 —	\$ 16 200 000 00 1 150 000 00 2 300 000 00 50 000 00 55 000 00 10 00	\$ 16 108 678 45 1 321 190 09 2 286 252 31 122 814 79 54 995 31 41 48
1 519 127 53 10 000 00	1 557 966 03 10 000 00	510 000 00 —	2 050 000 00 10 000 00	1 655 389 58 10 000 00
150 000 00 54 021 54	— 16 511 25	150 000 00 16 511 25	150 000 00 27 772 50	150 000 00 48 772 50
500 400 90	375 000 02	124 999 98	500 000 00	502 045 31
289 237 10	385 313 10	128 437 70	508 261 92	389 956 20
1 660 00 35 991 20 1 986 413 70 254 159 54 26 890 64 56 845 02 41 419 10 92 036 14 — 228 784 57 137 217 60 89 633 88 8 017 68 92 00 22 752 07 63 234 56 40 168 60 32 332 40 139 442 37 41 529 30 30 406 81 27 043 21 292 769 49	1 300 00 28 396 00 1 938 820 51 210 188 29 37 590 42 226 30 34 032 85 83 116 02 1 161 00 172 496 55 101 898 61 76 662 68 7 383 73 — 17 646 65 59 193 00 33 585 00 17 159 87 324 911 84 26 080 34 42 770 61 7 859 82 208 313 09	— — — 25 000 00 7 000 00 — 5 000 00 48 400 00 — 60 000 00 40 000 00 40 000 00 2 550 00 — 5 425 00 14 000 00 14 000 00 6 500 00 14 629 00 10 000 00 12 710 00 64 920 00	— 28 396 00 1 913 000 00 250 000 00 35 000 00 2 000 00 43 000 00 177 800 00 — 240 000 00 150 000 00 160 000 00 30 600 00 — 23 000 00 70 000 00 50 000 00 26 000 00 160 000 00 40 000 00 67 883 00 265 650 00	1 620 00 35 091 40 1 975 244 89 254 440 28 32 059 85 19 213 47 41 772 56 102 387 08 — 232 888 89 141 701 50 99 996 50 7 053 53 14 40 22 437 95 70 061 77 43 825 60 26 511 35 141 842 26 41 661 31 36 160 38 23 082 11 268 620 47

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ESTIMATED RECEIPTS FOR 1916 AND 1917 AND ACTUAL RECEIPTS

SOURCE OF RECEIPT	Departmental Estimate of Receipts for 1916
41. Bureau of Surveys.....	\$ 125 060 00
42. Bureau of Highways.....	} 65 000 00
42A. Board of Highway Supervisors.....	
43. Bureau of Water.....	
45. Bureau of Gas (Meter Inspections).....	
46. Bureau of City Property.....	
50. Department of County Prisons.....	5 250 000 00
72. Board of Recreation.....	100 00
80. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.....	59 200 00
	8 000 00
	—
	136 500 00
Costs, Fines, Fees and Licenses:	
Magistrates' Costs, Fines, Fees (excluding S. P. C. A.).....	69 606 03
Operators' Licenses.....	500 00
Employment Agents' Licenses.....	—
Moving Picture Licenses.....	21 600 00
Search Fees.....	14 000 00
Jitney Licenses.....	—
Suspense Account—from Receivers of Failed Trust Companies.....	—
Interest on City Deposits.....	275 000 00
State Appropriation for Schools.....	—
Accrued Interest on Loans Sold.....	15 000 00
Premium on Loans.....	50 000 00
Miscellaneous General Account Receipts.....	—
Total General Account Receipts Applicable to Estimated Receipts.....	\$ 32 423 541 33
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	
Par Value of Loans Sold in 1916:	
\$13,500,000 (1907) Loan.....	—
7,000,000 (1913) Loan.....	—
3,160,000 (1914) Loan.....	—
11,300,000 (1915) Loan.....	—
4,325,000 (1915) Loan.....	—
6,000,000 (1915) Loan.....	—
Abolition of Grade Crossings:	
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company.....	—
SPECIAL ACCOUNTS (Applicable to Appropriation Accounts)	
Park Account.....	—
S. P. C. A.—Magistrates' Costs, Fines, Fees.....	—
State Harbor Improvement Account—from Commonwealth.....	—
Firemen's Pension Fund Account.....	—
Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.....	—
TOTALS.....	\$ 32 423 541 33

FROM JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916—Concluded

City Controller's Legal Estimate of Receipts for 1916 (based on five years' average)	Receipts of General, Loan and Special Accounts from January 1 to September 30, 1916	Departmental Estimate of Receipts from October 1 to December 31, 1916	Departmental Estimate of Receipts for 1917	City Controller's Legal Estimate of Receipts for 1917 (based on five years' average)
\$ 137 021 80 { 66 860 80 12 256 75 4 878 808 88 65 60 79 161 34 7 392 09 86 40 81 156 13	\$ 107 303 49 53 446 49 4 526 65 4 609 545 92 26 00 50 709 22 9 913 69 366 25 145 713 92	\$ 50 100 00 15 000 00 640 455 00 20 00 3 550 00 3 000 00 — 53 858 00	\$ 160 000 00 65 000 00 5 500 000 00 50 00 61 629 00 8 000 00 — 196 600 00	\$ 136 141 52 { 63 612 82 11 679 88 4 980 201 91 64 20 78 346 80 7 544 14 89 84 95 398 73
69 606 03 959 00 7 870 00 19 840 00 10 986 37 — 29 491 77 326 079 33 352 311 15 11 626 44 48 468 27 21 758 71	46 788 80 395 00 — 19 600 00 9 340 20 400 00 — 93 394 81 — 6 430 77 164 875 04 3 948 10	22 817 00 200 00 — 2 000 00 4 660 00 — — 125 000 00 — 5 000 00 125 000 00 1 000 00	72 000 00 1 050 00 — 22 000 00 14 000 00 — — 300 000 00 — 15 000 00 325 000 00 5 000 00	71 499 47 1 036 00 6 520 00 21 340 00 11 314 26 — 24 682 89 317 956 28 175 557 92 11 776 65 48 468 27 22 302 17
\$ 31 827 088 71	\$ 28 440 239 33	\$ 4 491 742 93	\$ 33 478 702 42	\$ 32 353 357 32
— — — — — — —	1 000 000 00 700 000 00 660 000 00 3 000 000 00 2 000 000 00 3 000 000 00	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	— — — — — —
—	29 569 09	—	—	—
— — — — —	14 580 49 2 365 00 105 717 95 45 224 37 395 61	— — — — —	— — — — —	— — — — —
\$ 31 827 088 71	\$ 38 998 091 84	\$ 4 491 742 93	\$ 33 478 702 42	\$ 32 353 357 32

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**APPROPRIATIONS AVAILABLE IN 1916 TO OCTOBER 1—ACTUAL
EXPENDITURES**

GENERAL AND LOAN FUNDS	Balances from Books 1915	
	General Fund and Special Funds	Loan Funds
Principal of Non-Sinking Fund Loans:		
Eighteenth Series R \$1,600,000 Loan, due November 1, 1917	—	—
Sixteenth Series P \$1,000,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Fifteenth Series O \$3,500,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Fourteenth Series N \$1,100,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Fourteenth Series N \$3,000,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Fourteenth Series N \$2,720,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Thirteenth Series M \$1,200,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Thirteenth Series M \$1,200,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Thirteenth Series M \$1,000,000 Loan, due December 31, 1917	—	—
Interest on Non-Sinking Fund Loans -----	—	—
State Tax on City Loans -----	—	—
Sinking Fund Loans:		
Principal -----	—	—
Interest -----	—	—
Sinking Fund and Interest on New Loans that may be issued during the year:		
Estimated reserve to meet funded debt at maturity on new loans -----	—	—
Interest on new loans -----	—	—
Estimated mandamuses -----	—	—
Installment on \$1,000,000 mortgage (City Property) -----	—	—
City and County Departments and Offices:		
01. Clerks of Councils-----	\$ 49 003 25	—
02. Mayor -----	3 817 60	\$ 2 499 885 92
03. City Controller-----	202 80	—
04. City Treasurer-----	56 701 80	655 917 79
05. Revision of Taxes-----	—	—
06. Receiver of Taxes-----	—	—
07. Law -----	1 113 13	—
08. Department of Supplies-----	39 635 85	254 434 71
09. Civil Service Commission-----	—	—
10. City Commissioners-----	75 170 70	49 928 30
11. Clerk of the Courts-----	—	—
12. Prothonotary -----	833 00	—
13. Coroner -----	1 445 00	—
14. Recorder of Deeds-----	132 00	—
15. Register of Wills-----	—	—
16. District Attorney-----	—	—
17. Sheriff -----	—	—
Department of Public Safety:		
20. Director's Office-----	—	—
21. Bureau of Police-----	120 00	77 814 59
22. Bureau of Fire-----	5 169 05	195 248 52

EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916, AND ESTIMATED
FOR 1917

Annual Appropriations 1916 General Fund and Special Funds	Additional Appropriations 1916 General, Loan and Special Funds	Total Appropriations Amounts from Prior Years Available 1916 Transfers included	Expenditures (Countersignments) January 1 to September 30, 1916	Estimated Expenditures 1917
\$ 230 000 00	—	\$ 230 000 00	—	\$ 230 000 00
50 000 00	—	50 000 00	—	50 000 00
175 000 00	—	175 000 00	—	175 000 00
55 000 00	—	55 000 00	—	55 000 00
150 000 00	—	150 000 00	—	150 000 00
136 000 00	—	136 000 00	—	136 000 00
60 000 00	—	60 000 00	—	60 000 00
60 000 00	—	60 000 00	—	60 000 00
50 000 00	—	50 000 00	—	50 000 00
225 713 75	—	225 713 75	\$ 112 856 88	194 778 75
300 000 00	—	300 000 00	284 320 21	330 000 00
2 696 715 65	—	2 696 715 65	2 022 536 72	3 073 650 16
4 307 128 48	—	4 307 128 48	3 230 346 36	5 387 632 00
—	—	—	100 692 41	1 166 658 25
250 000 00	—	250 000 00	210 800 00	717 468 12
—	—	—	—	1 200 000 00
100 000 00	—	100 000 00	100 000 00	100 000 00
109 079 00	\$ 35 150 10	193 232 35	137 841 85	108 116 00
475 870 25	67 000 00	3 046 573 77	464 581 49	570 027 75
96 470 00	12 000 00	108 672 80	77 826 93	116 990 00
128 890 00	1 411 223 74	2 252 733 33	1 937 822 95	122 700 00
291 130 00	—	291 130 00	205 957 52	291 130 00
294 730 00	12 278 54	307 008 54	236 426 06	307 610 00
181 790 00	10 000 00	192 903 13	144 166 18	181 790 00
2 057 655 00	1 222 255 27	3 573 980 83	76 328 91	3 989 339 50
55 900 00	174 90	56 074 90	42 490 12	53 550 00
1 767 625 00	715 278 67	2 608 002 67	1 589 162 78	2 526 106 00
117 500 00	4 000 00	121 500 00	92 795 47	124 000 00
123 890 00	133 33	124 589 67	86 675 41	122 990 00
69 445 00	—	70 890 00	53 083 89	72 170 00
266 260 00	18 200 00	284 592 00	210 714 98	284 460 00
92 845 00	—	92 845 00	70 147 99	103 315 00
96 300 00	7 500 00	103 800 00	71 598 56	117 500 00
199 040 00	—	199 040 00	134 143 95	197 910 00
42 799 00	1 808 54	44 607 54	34 769 14	36 420 00
4 064 382 00	475 882 82	4 618 199 41	3 441 787 55	5 757 980 00
1 311 047 00	96 789 27	1 608 253 84	1 198 665 73	1 770 980 00

**APPROPRIATIONS AVAILABLE IN 1916 TO OCTOBER 1—ACTUAL
EXPENDITURE**

GENERAL AND LOAN FUNDS	Balances from Books 1915	
	General Fund and Special Funds	Loan Funds
Department of Public Safety—Concluded:		
23. Bureau of Boiler Inspection.....	—	—
24. Bureau of Building Inspection.....	—	—
25. Bureau of Elevator Inspection.....	—	—
27. Bureau of Correction.....	8 772 27	—
28. Electrical Bureau.....	5 541 50	—
Department of Public Health and Charities:		
30. Director's Office.....	—	—
31. Bureau of Health.....	4 135 60	26 179 55
32. Bureau of Charities.....	219 668 50	39 698 38
Department of Public Works:		
40. Director's Office.....	—	—
41. Bureau of Surveys.....	56 485 95	6 718 540 08
42. Bureau of Highways.....	66 058 23	2 596 374 22
43. Bureau of Water.....	24 644 62	961 909 00
44. Bureau of Lighting.....	4 881 17	—
45. Bureau of Gas.....	—	—
46. Bureau of City Property.....	24 785 87	435 591 95
50. Reed Street Prison.....	100 00	—
51. Holmesburg Prison.....	—	—
52. Prison Inspectors.....	—	176 837 72
64. Art Jury.....	—	—
70. Commissioners of Fairmount Park.....	—	1 217 752 75
72. Board of Recreation.....	1 425 00	541 726 88
80. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.....	5 615 61	1 220 225 07
85. Department of City Transit.....	546 83	6 053 427 54
90. Commissioners of Sinking Fund.....	—	—
Total General and Loan Funds.....	\$ 656 005 33	\$23 721 492 97
SPECIAL FUNDS		
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:		
Firemen's Pension Fund.....	40 000 00	—
Feeble-Minded Building Account.....	6 838 38	—
State Harbor Improvement Account.....	—	—
Piladelphia Rapid Transit Account.....	2 195 23	—
S. P. C. A. Account.....	4 810 00	—
Park Account.....	11 06	—
Total General, Loan and Special Funds.....	\$ 709 860 00	\$23 721 492 97

EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916, AND ESTIMATED
FOR 1917—Concluded

Annual Appropriations 1916 General Fund and Special Funds	Additional Appropriations 1916 General, Loan and Special Funds	Total Appropriations Amounts from Prior Years Available 1916 Transfers included	Expenditures (Countersignments) January 1 to September 30, 1916	Estimated Expenditures 1917
\$ 22 316 00	—	\$ 22 316 00	\$ 15 552 45	\$ 21 616 00
79 309 00	4 975 00	84 284 00	62 076 22	86 659 00
37 135 00	472 50	37 607 50	28 050 38	37 860 00
103 400 00	3 275 00	115 447 27	125 802 35	111 195 00
1 730 235 75	115 097 18	1 850 874 43	1 237 970 01	3 138 758 50
35 130 00	9 964 95	45 094 95	30 249 50	31 250 00
444 010 00	75 397 20	549 722 35	468 782 59	840 560 00
643 794 00	810 855 47	1 714 016 35	1 160 114 07	928 886 00
53 035 00	1 510 74	54 545 74	42 328 78	44 020 00
443 830 00	682 111 93	6 536 744 10	1 436 969 25	560 880 00
3 624 308 00	575 226 94	6 861 967 39	3 855 969 07	5 109 221 00
1 331 582 00	103 080 93	2 421 216 55	1 913 529 61	8 805 785 00
607 700 00	—	612 581 17	401 166 52	787 524 00
10 000 00	—	10 000 00	5 285 72	10 000 00
383 910 00	40 747 95	885 035 77	453 225 72	711 446 00
127 557 00	4 000 00	131 657 00	133 306 56	151 426 00
125 497 00	1 750 00	127 247 00	197 880 53	148 576 00
—	—	176 837 72	—	—
3 550 00	—	3 550 00	2 307 69	3 850 00
658 650 00	160 429 37	2 036 832 12	717 636 94	942 200 00
138 987 00	33 649 55	715 788 43	205 115 40	240 200 00
162 160 00	150 634 62	1 538 635 30	449 299 28	601 840 00
38 130 00	312 00	6 091 792 37	1 091 332 89	10 123 980 00
27 050 00	—	27 050 00	26 481 90	27 250 00
\$ 31 519 480 88	\$ 5 498 051 99	\$ 61 395 031 17	\$ 30 428 973 47	\$ 63 456 284 03
40 000 00	5 224 37	85 224 37	45 224 37	46 000 00
—	—	6 838 38	1 908 93	—
—	105 717 95	105 717 95	105 717 95	—
—	395 61	2 590 84	1 116 37	—
2 500 00	—	7 310 00	1 585 00	—
—	12 079 37	12 090 43	10 435 55	12 000 00
\$ 31 561 980 88	\$ 5 621 469 29	\$ 61 614 803 14	\$ 30 594 961 64	\$ 63 514 284 03

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**COMPARISON OF DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS AND
AS SHOWN BY 1914 PROPERTY INVENTORY FOR REPAIRS AND**

Departments and Bureaus	Requested in 1917 Budget Estimates			
	Property Acquisitions	Repairs and Replacements		
		Repairs	Replacements	Total
01. Clerks of Councils	—	—	—	—
021. Mayor's Office	\$ 747 80	\$ 1 057 20	\$ 825 00	\$ 1 882 20
022. Free Library	66 700 00	4 350 00	15 310 00	19 660 00
023. Museums	600 00	12 000 00	2 500 00	14 500 00
03. City Controller	1 000 00	25 00	30 00	55 00
04. City Treasurer	—	2 400 00	—	2 400 00
05. Revision of Taxes	200 00	—	1 000 00	1 000 00
06. Receiver of Taxes	500 00	—	—	—
07. Law	1 800 00	—	—	—
08. Director of Supplies	1 500 00	100 00	200 00	300 00
09. Civil Service Commission	1 000 00	150 00	100 00	250 00
10. City Commissioners	44 400 00	1 400 00	1 000 00	2 400 00
11. Clerk of the Courts	—	—	—	—
12. Prothonotary	5 000 00	1 000 00	—	1 000 00
13. Coroner	—	—	—	—
14. Recorder of Deeds	5 000 00	3 750 00	—	3 750 00
15. Register of Wills	6 300 00	—	—	—
16. District Attorney	200 00	—	—	—
17. Sheriff	250 00	450 00	700 00	1 150 00
20. Director Public Safety	600 00	1 000 00	1 400 00	2 400 00
21. Bureau of Police	41 400 00	31 827 00	7 075 00	38 902 00
22. do Fire	31 500 00	49 500 00	—	49 500 00
23. do Boiler Inspection	1 250 00	500 00	—	500 00
24. do Building Inspection	230 00	35 00	20 00	55 00
25. do Elevator Inspection	—	—	—	—
27. do Correction	—	12 957 06	7 022 71	19 979 77
28. Electrical Bureau	1 762 595 00	185 019 40	31 340 00	216 359 40
30. Director Health and Charities	150 00	—	350 00	350 00
31. Bureau of Health	45 100 00	17 500 00	—	17 500 00
32. do Charities	57 900 00	12 500 00	184 480 00	196 980 00
40. Director of Public Works	1 650 00	2 969 00	—	2 969 00
41. Bureau of Surveys	17 400 00	—	109 250 00	109 250 00
42. do Highways	780 000 00	1 810 838 09	8 100 00	1 818 938 09
43. do Water	7 102 000 00	357 460 00	20 325 00	377 785 00
44. do Lighting	7 800 00	—	—	—
45. do Gas	—	—	—	—
46. do City Property	258 700 00	178 060 00	7 800 00	185 860 00
50. Reed St. Prison	5 000 00	8 800 00	3 650 00	12 450 00
51. Holmesburg Prison	4 700 00	9 800 00	3 000 00	12 800 00
64. Art Jury	500 00	—	—	—
70. Commissioners Fairmount Park	14 400 00	63 600 00	9 000 00	72 600 00
72. Board of Recreation	1 500 00	12 000 00	7 000 00	19 000 00
80. Wharves, Docks and Ferries	—	77 150 00	351 050 00	428 200 00
85. City Transit	10 092 425 00	—	350 00	350 00
90. Commissioners of Sinking Fund	—	—	—	—
TOTALS	\$20 361 997 80	\$2 858 197 75	\$772 877 71	\$3 631 075 46

REPLACEMENTS IN 1917 WITH AVERAGE ANNUAL REQUIREMENTS

1916 DEPRECIATION STATEMENT FOR REPLACEMENTS.

Average Annual Requirements as Shown by 1914 Property Inventory for Repairs and 1916 Depreciation Statement for Replacements

Comparison of Budget Requests with Total Actuarial Estimates for Repairs and Replacements

Repairs	Replacements	Total	Budget Requests Over	Budget Requests Under
—	\$ 4 129 13	\$ 4 129 13	—	\$ 4 129 13
\$ 718 04	2 759 40	3 477 44	—	1 595 24
—	49 146 87	49 146 87	—	29 486 87
—	849 88	849 88	\$ 13 650 12	—
—	2 093 18	2 093 18	—	2 038 18
—	1 769 43	1 769 43	630 57	—
—	425 94	425 94	574 06	—
—	1 571 22	1 571 22	—	1 571 22
—	6 124 19	6 124 19	—	6 124 19
—	960 17	960 17	—	660 17
73 00	920 40	993 40	—	743 40
5 032 87	13 378 47	18 411 34	—	16 011 34
—	300 36	300 36	—	300 36
—	1 057 74	1 057 74	—	57 74
—	414 58	414 58	—	414 58
2 300 00	4 851 28	7 151 28	—	3 401 28
—	1 491 58	1 491 58	—	1 491 58
—	531 37	531 37	—	531 37
400 00	1 398 26	1 798 26	—	648 26
1 300 00	352 98	1 652 98	747 02	—
33 150 00	56 670 47	89 820 47	—	50 918 47
—	101 626 60	101 626 60	—	52 126 60
91 00	749 17	840 17	—	340 17
58 58	542 89	601 47	—	546 47
39 47	217 73	257 20	—	257 20
7 336 00	21 771 84	29 107 84	—	9 128 07
95 942 43	117 401 83	213 344 26	3 015 14	—
6 84	799 72	806 56	—	456 56
6 690 24	28 067 68	34 757 92	—	17 257 92
—	62 604 46	62 604 46	134 375 54	—
1 538 22	2 335 46	3 873 68	—	904 68
463 206 18	580 253 23	1 043 459 41	—	934 209 41
—	1 384 713 59	1 384 713 59	434 224 50	—
227 450 00	1 629 763 58	1 857 213 58	—	1 479 428 58
6 710 00	18 728 04	25 438 04	—	25 438 04
—	88 45	88 45	—	88 45
321 208 51	285 312 45	606 520 96	—	420 660 96
2 435 00	8 317 28	10 752 28	1 697 72	—
3 885 00	19 955 59	23 840 59	—	11 040 59
—	68 18	68 18	—	68 18
—	62 432 20	62 432 20	10 167 80	—
12 000 00	6 447 63	18 447 63	552 37	—
121 623 19	177 685 95	299 309 14	128 890 86	—
825 10	9 858 99	10 684 09	—	10 334 09
—	6 00	6 00	—	6 00
\$ 1 314 019 67	\$ 4 670 945 44	\$ 5 984 965 11	—	\$ 2 353 889 65

INTER-ACCOUNT ADVANCES, JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1916

Realization upon Capital Account assets for the benefit of the General Account:

Receipt from Board of Public Education to retire city debt issued for school purposes...	\$ 179 439 99	
Receipts from sale of property.....	75 00	
Depreciation on structures, non-structural improvements and equipment	3 342 623 85	
		<hr/> \$ 3 522 138 84

Inter-Account Expenditures:

Current Revenue moneys expended for Capital Account purposes:

For acquisition of property	\$ 402 047 52	
For replacements of property	46 880 62	
For payment of principal of mortgage debt....	100 000 00	
For sinking funds of capital account	2 123 229 12	
For payment of mandates	346 819 81	
		<hr/> \$ 3 018 977 07

Loan money expended for general account purposes

1 284 482 84

Net expenditure of current revenues for Capital Account purposes

1 734 494 23

Net Capital Account advances to General Account... \$ 1 787 644 61

SEVEN-YEAR COMPARISONS

Loan Cash

Year	Loan Cash Balance at Beginning of Year	Amount of Loan Sold	Receipt on Grade Crossings	Total	Loan Payments	Loan Cash Balance at Close of Year
1911 -----	\$ 9 569 616 44	\$ 13 450 000 00	\$ 18 323 28	\$ 23 037 939 72	\$ 7 543 289 84	\$ 15 494 649 68
1912 -----	15 494 649 68	4 925 000 00	245 401 54	20 665 051 22	7 386 155 58	13 278 895 64
1913* -----	13 278 895 64	6 375 000 00	78 949 69	19 732 845 33	8 777 363 45	10 955 481 88
1914 -----	10 956 078 13	2 625 000 00	193 668 25	13 774 746 38	6 903 347 84	6 971 398 54
1915 -----	6 971 398 54	5 000 000 00	206 342 56	12 177 741 10	8 376 929 50	3 800 811 60
1916 * -----	3 800 811 60	20 360 000 00	259 320 75	24 420 132 35	19 231 423 13	5 188 709 22
1917 † -----	5 188 709 22	35 599 200 00	425 789 63	41 213 698 23	37 868 599 28	3 345 098 95

Funded Debt

Year	Total Funded Debt Beginning of Year	Total Funded Debt Sold During Year and Returned by Fiscal Agent	Total	Debt Paid During Year	Total Funded Debt at Close of Year
1911 -----	\$ 98 403 800 00	\$ 13 450 100 00	\$111 853 900 00	\$ 2 024 100 00	\$109 829 800 00
1912 -----	109 829 800 00	4 930 800 00	114 760 600 00	2 030 250 00	112 730 350 00
1913 -----	112 730 350 00	6 375 000 00	119 105 350 00	2 025 100 00	117 080 250 00
1914 -----	117 080 250 00	2 630 800 00	119 711 050 00	2 024 200 00	117 686 850 00
1915 -----	117 686 850 00	5 004 400 00	122 691 250 00	2 024 800 00	120 666 450 00
1916 * -----	120 666 450 00	20 360 000 00	141 026 450 00	2 026 800 00	138 999 650 00
1917 † -----	138 999 650 00	35 599 200 00	174 598 850 00	2 023 800 00	172 575 050 00

Property Acquisitions

Year*	Land Acquisitions	Structural Acquisitions	Equipment Acquisitions	Total	Disposition and Adjustments	Net Acquisitions
1911 -----	\$ 2 981 939 63	\$ 5 529 674 20	\$ 853 672 62	\$ 9 365 286 45	—	\$ 9 365 286 45
1912 -----	1 190 602 00	3 619 438 76	412 644 28	5 222 685 04	\$ 749 742 89	4 472 942 15
1913 -----	1 009 359 79	6 254 202 65	555 075 05	7 818 637 49	163 964 80	7 654 672 69
1914 -----	534 742 87	5 438 498 19	520 040 96	6 403 282 02	196 238 05	6 297 043 97
1915 -----	1 056 612 94	6 908 829 83	488 522 84	8 453 965 61	556 095 35	7 897 870 26
1916 * -----	3 129 562 10	12 005 604 31	947 320 79	16 082 487 20	451 643 11	15 630 844 09
1917 † -----	4 327 135 32	23 631 142 29	1 040 268 31	28 998 545 92	732 580 93	28 265 964 99

* Last 3 months estimated.

† Estimated.

APPENDIX No. 177.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary and City Treasurer, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Simon Walter, Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. C. Williams, Elias Abrams, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Robert Smith, Bernard J. McGuigan, E. Buchholz, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Charles Seger, George D'Autrechy, Fred. Schwarz, Jr.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary and City Treasurer, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations for the year 1916:

Department of Public Safety, Electrical Bureau: From Item 5 (a), electric arc lighting, twelve thousand three hundred and fifty (12,350) dollars. Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways: From Item 12, repairs to automobiles, four hundred (400) dollars. Department of

Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities: From Item 16 (b), fees for course in diet cooking, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; from Item 17 (b), uniforms for nurses, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; from Item 17 (c), uniforms for resident physicians and internes, two hundred (200) dollars. Department of Supplies (Civil Service): From Item 2, cleaning and toilet supplies, three hundred (300) dollars; (Correction): from Item 17, flour, groceries, etc., one hundred and sixty-five (165) dollars and sixty (60) cents: (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): from Item 5, dry stores, groceries, etc., three hundred and seventeen (317) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; (Lighting): from Item 11, towel service, etc., two hundred (200) dollars. Board of Recreation: From Item 1 (a), salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Civil Service Commission: From Item 1, salaries, five hundred (500) dollars. Mayor: From Item 1 (b), salaries, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 8, free scholarships, University of Pennsylvania, one hundred and ninety (190) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 20 (a), to pay primary election officers, six hundred and thirty (630) dollars. Prothonotary: From Item 3 (a), stationery, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 4 (a), printing, etc., two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 2 (a). Transportation, etc., one hundred and seventy-five dollars	\$175
Item 11 (a). Transportation, two hundred and twenty-five dollars	225

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 13 (b). Repairs to roofs, etc., three hundred and fifty dollars	\$350
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Item 22 (b). Cooking and serving outfit, three hundred and sixty dollars	360
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.)

Item 4. Miscellaneous, three hundred dollars	\$300
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(CORRECTION.)

Item 17. To pay bill of Potter-Delaney Supply Co., Inc., for groceries, one hundred and sixty-five dollars and sixty cents	165 60
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(WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES.)

Item 5. To pay bill of Potter-Delaney Supply Co., Inc., for groceries, three hundred and seventeen dollars and ninety-one cents	317 91
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(LIGHTING.)

Item 12. Furniture and office supplies, two hundred dollars	200
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BOARD OF RECREATION.

Item 2 (a). Hire and maintenance of vehicles, etc., eight hundred dollars	800
Item 2 (e). Miscellaneous, two hundred dollars	200
Item 3 (b). Play material, etc., one thousand dollars	1,000

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Item 5. Equipment, five hundred dollars..	\$500
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MAYOR.

Item 2 (d). Purchase, storage, etc., of automobiles, three hundred and ninety dollars	\$390
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(COMMERCIAL MUSEUM.)

Item 11 (b). Maintenance and repairs, five thousand dollars	5,000
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 16 (c). Extra clerk hire and overtime, Registration Commissioners, six hundred and thirty dollars	\$630
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CLERKS OF COUNCILS.

Item 5 (g). To celebrate the dawn of the year 1917, seven thousand dollars	\$7,000
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Provided, That this amount shall be spent under the supervision of the Joint Special Committee on the celebration of the dawn of the year 1917.

PROTHONOTARY.

Item 5. Furniture and furnishings, four thousand two hundred dollars	\$4,200
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CITY TREASURER.

Item 2 (b). Subsistence of persons, three hundred and fifty dollars	\$350
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APPENDIX No. 178.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works and Board of Recreation, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have

carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Simon Walter, Elias Abrams, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Robert Smith, Bernard J. McGuigan, E. Buchholz, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Charles Seger, George D'Autrechy, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Crawford, Wm. C. Williams.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works and Board of Recreation, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers of certain loan funds in the annual appropriations for the year 1916:

Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys: From Item 174 (loan), removal of grade crossings on the line of the Chestnut Hill branch of the Connecting Railway, ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Board of Recreation: From Item 170 K (loan), for the improvement of the playground at Twenty-fourth and Jackson streets, three thousand (3,000) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF SURVEYS.

Item 175 (loan), removal of grade crossing at Green Lane, over the North Pennsylvania Railroad, by the opening of Godfrey avenue and the construction of a bridge under said railroad, ten thousand dollars.....	\$10,000
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BOARD OF RECREATION.

Item 170 (e) (loan), improvement of playground at Berks, Blair and Palmer streets, three thousand dollars	3,000
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APPENDIX No. 179.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. The amount of ground to be taken is estimated at about six thousand (6,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Charles Seger, Geo. Connell, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. C. Williams.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of
Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 180.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hedge, Herbert, Marshall, Morris, Abbottsford avenue and the sidewalk on Olney avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, John Costello, H. Edgar Barnes, George E. Dorwart, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, John J. McKinley, Jr., Charles Seger, Geo. Connell, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. E. Finley, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. C. Williams.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Hedge, Herbert, Marshall and Morris streets and Abbottsford avenue and sidewalk on Olney avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: Hedge street, from Bridge to Brill street; Herbert street, from Castor Road to Ramona avenue; Marshall street, from Cayuga to Wingohocking street; Morris street, from Abbottsford avenue to Logan street; Abbottsford avenue, from McKean avenue to Morris street, and sidewalk on northwest side of Olney avenue, from Broad street to fifty feet east of Sixteenth street.

The cost of said work to be taken from the grading items in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. In all cases where the material re-

quired to excavate or fill any legally opened street within six blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract; *Provided*, That the grading shall be advertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith will be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 181.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of main sewers in Sanger and Edmund streets; across The Boulevard and in Summerdale avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), George D’Autrechy, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, J. H. Shaw, Wm. H. Cross, Wm. D. Bacon, John L. Dougherty, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. E. Finley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. Boal, Henry J. Klos, James E. Walsh, H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of main sewers in Sanger and Edmund streets; across The Boulevard and in Summerdale avenue; and repealing a portion of ordinance approved July 27, 1916, authorizing the construction of main sewers in Fifty-first, Sanger and Tulip streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of the following main sewers: Sanger street, from Tacony to Edmund street; Edmund street, from Sanger to Bridge street; across The Boulevard, from Adams avenue to Summerdale avenue; and in Summerdale avenue, from The Boulevard to the Philadelphia and Frankford Railroad.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances, and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the construction of said sewers shall be charged to Item 190 (Loan), for the construction of main sewers, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewers authorized by this ordinance where the same are built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full City rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties on the line of said sewers until the regular frontage charges shall have been paid. And the following sums are hereby set aside for the construction of the main sewers herein authorized: Sanger street, from Tacony to Edmund street, and in Edmund street, from Sanger to Bridge street, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; across The Boulevard, from Adams avenue to Summerdale avenue, and in Summerdale avenue, from The Boulevard to the Philadelphia and Frankford Railroad, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in the event of any of the aforesaid sewers costing less than the sum set aside for its construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to use any balance of the foregoing amounts, or any part thereof, for the completion of any of the main sewers herein named for which the sums set aside are insufficient: *Provided also*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and in-

spectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation and expenses incidental to the work from the aforesaid item.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the construction of any of the herein authorized sewers through private property.

SECT. 4. That so much of the ordinance, approved July 27, 1916, as authorizes the construction of main sewers in Fifty-first street, from Grays avenue to Schuylkill river, and in Sanger street, from Tacony to Tulip street, and in Tulip street, from Sanger to Bridge street, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 182.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George D'Autrechy, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, J. H. Shaw, Wm. H. Cross, Wm. D. Bacon, John L. Dougherty, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. E. Finley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. Boal, Henry J. Klos, James E. Walsh, H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance approved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance ap-

proved June 16, 1915, authorizing the construction of main sewers, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting in the title, in line 3, the words "Knorr street, Charles street, Longshore street, Gilmore street, Tyson street and Crabtree street" for the words "Lardner street." Also, by substituting in Section 1, lines 12, 13, 14 and 15, the words "Knorr street, from stream southeast of Charles street to Charles street; in Charles street, from Knorr street to Longshore street; in Longshore street, from Charles street to Gilmore street; in Gilmore street, from Longshore street to Tyson street; in Tyson street, from Gilmore street to Crabtree street; and in Crabtree street, from Tyson street to stream northeast of Tyson street" for the words "Lardner street, from the Delaware river to Tacony street and across private property to the present sewer northwest of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad." Also, by substituting in Section 2, line 22, the words "Knorr street, Charles street, Longshore street, Gilmore street, Tyson street and Crabtree street, sixty-five thousand (65,000) dollars" for the words "Lardner street, eighty thousand (80,000) dollars."

APPENDIX No. 183.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Gas, to which was referred the resolution entitled "Resolution authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Simon Walter (*Ch'n*), Peter J. Gallagher, Walter G. List, John Costello, E. Buchholz, Wm. E. Finley, Mark Fleming, George D. Cox, Wm. J. Harrington, George D'Autrechy, Geo. T. Conrade, Joshua Evans, Elias Abrams, Wm. M. Lewis.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to locate the following gasoline lamps, using the lamps and posts removed from former locations: In court, rear 1308 S. Front street; in court, rear 918 S. Front street, one hundred and nineteen (119) feet west of curb against north fence; rear 1951 Locust street; rear 624 N. Bodine street; rear 1926 Parrish street; in court, rear 1522 and 1524 N. Philip street; rear 1421 N. Front street; south side of Price street, one hundred and fifty (150) feet east of the curb line of Sprague street; south side of Price street, three hundred (300) feet east of the curb line of Sprague street; north side of Price street, eighty-five (85) feet west of the curb line of Sullivan street; south side of Cheltenham avenue, one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of the curb line of Pulaski avenue; north side of Cheltenham avenue, one hundred and ten (110) feet west of the curb line of Pulaski avenue; south side of Cheltenham avenue, one hundred and sixty (160) feet east of the curb line of Morris street; north side of Cheltenham avenue, one hundred (100) feet east of the curb line of Morris street; southwest corner of Cheltenham avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad crossing; rear 4348 Orchard street; rear 3146 Gaul street; rear 2413 Ann street; rear 2841 Frankford avenue; rear 1740 Tasker street; rear 1620 Dickinson street; rear 1516 Federal street; rear 4008 Chestnut street; rear 2237 W. Cumberland street; rear 1937 E. Sergeant street; rear 1512 Fontaine street; west side of G street, one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet north of the curb line of Venango street; rear 3513 G street; rear 1455 N. Fifty-fourth street; rear 219 N. Sixty-first street; rear 6029 Lansdowne avenue; rear 1630 N. Edgewood street; rear 1656 N. Edgewood street; Weymouth street, north of Cheltenham avenue; Weymouth street, north of Cheltenham avenue; Reach street,

north of Cheltenham avenue; Reach street, north of Cheltenham avenue; G street, north of Cheltenham avenue; rear 1900 Federal street; rear 1120 Nevada street; rear 3005-3007 N. Twenty-second street; rear 2630 S. Eighth street; Eighty-fifth street and Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Eighty-sixth street and Philadelphia and Reading Railway; southeast corner of Eighty-eighth street and Eastwick avenue; northeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Dicks avenue; rear 2053 S. Sixtieth street, at junction of alleys; rear 1980 Medary avenue; rear 1948 Medary avenue; rear 1912 Medary avenue, at junction of alleys; rear 864 N. Forty-fourth street; rear 2409 E. Allegheny avenue; rear 5234 Spruce street; rear 6140 and 6142 Market street, at junction of alleys; rear 15 S. Robinson street; rear 5348 Cedar avenue, at junction of alleys; east side of Puddel Hole lane, near Oregon avenue.

APPENDIX No. 184.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobb's Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 180, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance condemning Cobb's Creek Park, from the south line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street to the center line of City ave-

nue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.”

APPENDIX No. 185.

RESOLUTION

To grant permission to Wm. Steele & Sons Company for the construction and maintenance for a period of not more than one year of a chute for the conveying of concrete across Reed street, approximately 150 feet east of Twenty-sixth street, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That permission be, and is hereby granted the Wm. Steele & Sons Company to construct and maintain a chute for the conveying of concrete across Reed street, approximately 150 feet east of Twenty-sixth street, for the period of not more than one year from the date of approval of this resolution. The said chute to be at least 80 feet above the level of the street and to be constructed under the supervision and according to the requirement of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), and to be used exclusively in the business of the said company.

Before exercising any privilege under this resolution, the said Wm. Steele & Sons Company shall enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City against all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said chute, and to remove the same at the expiration of one year, or at any previous time upon the passage of a resolution to that effect.

Provided: That the sum of fifty (50) dollars shall first be paid into the City Treasury by the said Wm. Steele & Sons Company for the publication of this resolution.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 186.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Special Committee on State Legislation affecting the City of Philadelphia, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, The need of Philadelphia for laws from the State Legislature affecting both revenue and expenditure was never greater than at present;

AND WHEREAS, Many propositions have been advanced for the financial benefit of the City which require legislative authority from Harrisburg; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber shall be appointed by the respective Presidents to represent the City officially at the 1917 session of the Legislature at Harrisburg with the view of presenting to said body the needs of the municipality as to revenue, and especially the large expenditures imposed by legislative enactment without any increase of income, and of securing such beneficial legislation as may tend to meet the City's financial requirements and avoid the necessity of a continued higher tax rate on real estate; that any expenses incident thereto be charged to Item 6 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils, and the Clerks of Councils are hereby directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 187.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, November 2, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with the request in your resolution of even date, I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 180, Vol. I, entitled:

“An Ordinance condemning Cobb’s Creek Park, from the South line of Vine street and west side of Daggett street, to the center line of City avenue and the northeast side of Seventy-third street, as an open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people, and transferring the custody of said property to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 188.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia. -

GENTLEMEN:—I am returning to you herewith Common Council ordinance No. 157, entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Law and Inspectors of the County Prisons, for the year 1916,”

with my approval, except for the following items:

“DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Item 2 (c). Printing, five hundred dollars.	\$500
Item 2 (f). Advertising, two hundred dollars	200
Item 14. Telephone service, two thousand dollars	2,000
Item 18 (b). Maintenance of automobiles, four hundred dollars	400

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(ELECTRICAL BUREAU.)

Item 38. Batteries, register paper, etc., two thousand dollars	2,000”
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thereby eliminating the transfer of five thousand one hundred (5,100) dollars from the Department of Supplies (Electrical Bureau), Item 39, lumber, etc.

These items are disapproved, as it is found that the item of five thousand one hundred dollars in the Department of Supplies (Electrical Bureau), from which the transfer was to be made, is not available.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 189.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks; and providing for the costs of same and the payment of Sinking Fund and interest charges out of the \$67,100,000 loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), George D'Autrechy, John F. Flaherty, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley, William J. McCloskey, Robert Smith, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Wm. D. Bacon.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of a wharf and docks at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and the construction of a wharf and docks at the foot of Comly street, Delaware river, and the work appurtenant to and necessary for the completion of said wharves and docks, and providing for the cost of same and the payment of Sinking Fund and interest charges out of the \$67,100,000 loan authorized by ordinance of June 29, 1916, and providing for carrying into effect such authority.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries of the City of Philadelphia be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract or contracts, after due advertising, for the construction of a wharf and docks on property owned by the City at or near the foot of Wolf street, Delaware river, and for the construction of a wharf, with recreation pavilion, and docks on property owned by the City at Comly street, Delaware river; for the paving and repaving of marginal streets and approaches to the piers; for the construction, reconstruction and alterations of sewers, gas and water mains, conduits and other municipal work appurtenant to the above-mentioned wharves and docks, including equipment necessary for their completion; including examinations and preparation of the various sites, necessary dredging, test borings, test piles and other appurtenant work; all in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries is hereby authorized to appoint such experts, assistants, draftsmen, inspectors, engineers and laborers, and to pay all expenses for salaries, soundings, inspection, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for out of the appropriation for the cost of said work as may be necessary or requisite to carry on the work herein authorized.

SECT. 3. The cost of the work herein authorized by this ordinance and the interest and Sinking Fund charges accruing, and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction and until the expiration of one year after the completion of the work, shall be charged against Item 210 (loan) of the appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

APPENDIX No. 190.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, City Ice-boat No. 1,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), William H. Quigley, William J. McCloskey, Robert Smith, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Wm. D. Bacon, George D’Autrechy, John F. Flaherty, Elias Abrams.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to sell at public auction to the highest bidder City Ice-boat No. 1.

WHEREAS, At the annual inspection of City Ice-boat No. 1, made by the United States Steamboat Inspectors on September 19, 1916, the Inspectors informed the Depart-

ment that City Ice-boat No. 1 was in an unseaworthy condition, and that before it could again go into commission, it would be necessary to virtually rebuild the vessel;

AND WHEREAS, The estimated cost of putting the vessel in a seaworthy condition is approximately eighty thousand (\$0,000) dollars, and when completed the City would have an antiquated and unsuitable type of boat, with a hull fifty years old, boilers twenty-three years old, and an engine, parts of which are eighty years old; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries be, and he is hereby authorized and directed, to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, City Ice-boat No. 1.

APPENDIX No. 191.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to approve the transfer of a certain lease of a lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware county, in the State of Pennsylvania, and known as the ‘Lazaretto,’ from the Philadelphia School of Aviation, the present lessee, to the United States Government,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Charles

Seger, E. Buchholz, Wm. D. Bacon, George D'Autrechy, John F. Flaherty, Elias Abrams, William H. Quigley, William J. McCloskey.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to approve the transfer of a certain lease of a lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, situate in Delaware County, in the State of Pennsylvania, and known as the "Lazaretto," from the Philadelphia School of Aviation, the present lessee, to the United States Government.

WHEREAS, By ordinance approved the third day of March, 1916, the Director of the Department of Public Works was authorized to execute a lease to the Philadelphia School of Aviation "for all that certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the Island of Tinicum, aforesaid, in the township of Tinicum and county of Delaware, in the said Commonwealth, which, according to a survey thereof made by Thomas Lloyd, Surveyor, in the month of June last, is bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at the river Delaware at low-water mark, and from thence extending along the middle of the road or lane between this land and land of John Taylor, north five degrees, east fifty-five perches and five-tenths of a perch to a post for a corner; thence by the other land of the said Thomas Smith, south eighty-five degrees, east twenty-eight perches and seven-tenths of a perch to another post for a corner; thence by other land of the said Thomas Smith, south five degrees, west fifty-six perches to low-water mark of the river Delaware, and from thence down the said river along the several courses and meanders thereof at low-water mark to the place of beginning; said premises being known as the 'Lazaretto,' for the term of ten years, at a rental of one (1) dollar per annum."

AND WHEREAS, The said lease was duly entered into and signed on the seventh day of March, A. D. 1916;

AND WHEREAS, The said The Philadelphia School of Aviation is desirous of transferring the said lease to the United States Government to be used as an aviation center for the training of aviators for preparedness in case of war ; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to endorse upon the said lease his approval of the transfer thereof to the said the United States Government.

APPENDIX No. 192.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Home Life Insurance Company to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of 504 and 506 Walnut street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George E. Dorwart, George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit The Home Life Insurance Company to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of 504 and 506 Walnut street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common. Coúncils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and

is hereby granted to The Home Life Insurance Company to erect and maintain a clock on the sidewalk in front of 504 and 506 Walnut street, the dial of said clock not to exceed three feet in diameter with base not exceeding two feet, and shall be erected under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, and shall have no advertisement other than the name thereon, and shall be removed at any time upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect: *Provided*, That said The Home Life Insurance Company first pay the sum of fifty (50) dollars into the City Treasury for the publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 193.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George E. Dorwart, George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk, extending over the entire width thereof, in front of its property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street; the said awnings to be constructed under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works in accordance with plans and specifications to be approved by the Bureau of Highways. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said National Metal Edge Box Company shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of the said awnings and to remove the same and restore the pavement to its present condition at any time within one year after the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. *Provided*, That the provisions of the second section of the ordinance, approved the seventeenth day of June, A. D. 1915, amending the ordinance relating to the regulation of the erection and construction of iron awnings over the sidewalks, approved March 22, 1900, prohibiting such awnings from extending more than four (4) feet from the building line, shall not apply to this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 194.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Miller Lock Company to lay and maintain a pipe under and across Tacony street, west of Orthodox street, and to lay and maintain a pipe in the sidewalk in front

of their property on the west side of Tacony street, west of Orthodox street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Miller Lock Company to lay and maintain a pipe under and across Tacony street, west of Orthodox street, and to lay and maintain a pipe in the sidewalk in front of their property on the west side of Tacony street, west of Orthodox street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and the same is hereby granted to the Miller Lock Company to lay and maintain a three and one-half ($3\frac{1}{2}$) inch vacuum return pipe, running in an easterly direction, from a point five hundred and thirty-eight (538) feet three (3) inches west of the west curb line of Orthodox street to a point four hundred and sixty-two (462) feet west of the west curb line of Orthodox street, and at that point to cross Tacony street at right angles. Also to lay and maintain an eight (8) inch pipe, for the purpose of conveying water for use in case of fire, under the sidewalk in front of their property on the west side of Tacony street, west of Orthodox street, said pipe to be laid from a point five hundred and thirty-eight (538) feet three (3) inches west of the west curb line of Orthodox street eastwardly to a point two hundred and twenty-six (226) feet four (4) inches west of the west curb line of Orthodox street. The said pipes shall be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by the said Department, and shall not interfere with any municipal or other

structures and shall be used exclusively in the business of said Miller Lock Company. Before issuing a permit for the laying of said pipes, said Miller Lock Company shall enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City against all damages by reason of the laying and maintenance of the same, and to repave and keep in good order so much of the street as shall be disturbed in the said work, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privileges hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the pipes removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 195.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a wagon scale on Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, George H. Kelley, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To grant permission to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a wagon scale on Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company be, and is hereby authorized to construct, maintain and operate a wagon scale, approximately nine (9) feet by twenty (20) feet, to be located between the house and curb lines on the north side of Allegheny avenue, about one hundred (100) feet east of the center line of Twenty-second street, as shown on plan on file in the Bureau of Surveys, Department of Public Works: *Provided*, That the work herein authorized shall be done under the supervision and direction of the Department of Public Works (Board of Highway Supervisors), and the said wagon scale shall be removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect, without any expense to the City of Philadelphia, and without any recourse for damage against said City, either property, personal or otherwise, and that the sum of fifty (50) dollars shall first be paid into the City Treasury for the publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 196.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,' approved July 31, 1916," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads," approved July 31, 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads," approved July 31, 1916, be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end of Section 1 the following words:

"Vandike street, from Benner to Comly street; Higbee street, from Torresdale avenue to Vandike street; and Cottman street, from Pennsylvania Railroad cut off to Oxford avenue. The cost of said work to be taken from any item for the improvement of country roads in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): *Provided*, That no part of the money in said item shall be used otherwise than to improve the streets and roads herein named substantially upon the present lines and the present physical grades, except for sufficient grading to secure an even surface: *Provided, also*, That the property owners shall not be released from paying for paving the above streets and roads when same may be directed to be paved by an ordinance of Councils."

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 197.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to permit

Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street, approved August 15, 1916,' " respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE.

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street," approved August 15, 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to permit Derbyshire Brothers to construct a bridge over and across Hope street, north of York street," approved August 15, 1916, be, and the same is hereby amended by striking out in Section 1, after the word "height" on the ninth line, the following:

"And to be constructed of steel trusses with a concrete floor and corrugated iron sides and roof."

APPENDIX No. 198.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from

Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George E. Dorwart, Wm. J. Harrington, William D. Asnip, George H. Kelley, C. Walter Glasgow, John N. Costello, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. Boal, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., H. Edgar Barnes.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling street to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Vankirk street, from Torresdale avenue to Jackson street; Oxford avenue, from Wakeling street to The Boulevard; Jackson street, from Bridge to Foust street; Tacony street, from Sanger to Rhawn street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements, and if said owners of property shall fail to lay such footways and set such curbs as required, after twenty (20) days' previous notice in writing from the Department of Public Works to do the said work, the said Department is hereby directed to cause said work to be done, the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property of such owners so in default.

APPENDIX No. 199.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Your Joint Special Committee, appointed under resolution entitled “Resolution to appoint a Committee to investigate the equity of existing meter rates and charges for water, and to make report and recommendations thereon,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the matter referred to them, holding numerous public meetings for a discussion of the conservation of water and equitable charges for same, especially with a view to making the installation of meters compulsory in establishments where large quantities of water is in use, or a flagrant abuse of water is known, and return the annexed bill entitled “An Ordinance regulating appliance and meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter, and authorizing the installation of meters” with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Wm. C. Williams, William J. McCloskey, Wm. Boal, Charles Seger.

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating appliance and meter charges for water, establishing minimum and ferrule rates proportionate to the size of the connection to the main, designating certain establishments and appliances for which water shall be furnished by meter and authorizing the installation of meters.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after January 1, 1917, except as hereinafter provided in Section 9,

the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to charge for water and water appliances in accordance with the following schedule:

SCHEDULE OF RATES.

Air compressors in doctors' offices, each two (2) dollars.

Automobiles (private garage without water), each automobile two (2) dollars.

Automobiles (private garage with water), each automobile in excess of the number of outlets used for washing automobiles and paid for under other fixture rating, two (2) dollars.

Automobiles (public garage), (*meter rates*).

Aquariums, with attachments, each three (3) dollars.

Aquariums, constant flow, not exceeding $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch jet, ten (10) dollars.

Bakeries, bread, and bread and cake, steam or other power (*meter rates*).

Bakeries, bread, and bread and cake, in addition to dwelling charges, each three (3) dollars.

Barber shops, with or without water, in addition to dwelling charges, each three (3) dollars.

Barber shops, each basin or outlet more than one, two (2) dollars.

Barber shops, attachment from main pipes, each five (5) dollars.

Bars and bar gutters (*meter rates*).

Beer motor or pump (*meter rates*).

Basins, sinks or slop sinks, in private dwellings and apartments (kitchens excepted), each one (1) dollar.

Basins, sinks or slop sinks, in boarding, apartment, tenement and lodging houses for general use, each four (4) dollars.

Basins, sinks or slop sinks in boarding, apartment, tenement and lodging houses for separate and distinct house-keeping purposes, each five (5) dollars.

Basins or sinks, in stores, offices and factories, each two (2) dollars.

Basins or sinks in hotels, boarding houses, public buildings, institutions and halls, each four (4) dollars.

Basins or sinks in stores, offices and factories with $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch attachment direct from City main, minimum charge, each five (5) dollars.

Baths (hot and cold water, or either), in private dwellings, tenement and apartment houses, each three (3) dollars.

Baths (hot and cold water, or either), in hotels, clubs, hospitals, barber shops, tenement, and apartment houses, etc., for public use (*meter rates*).

Baths (hot and cold water, or either), private shower, where not connected with bath, each three (3) dollars.

Baths (hot and cold water, or either), public shower (*meter rates*).

Baths (pools), in private dwellings, per cubic foot capacity, six (6) cents.

Baths (pools), in hotels, clubs, hospitals, etc. (*meter rates*).

Baths (public), (*meter rates*).

Bidets, each one (1) dollar.

Bottling establishments (*meter rates*).

Breweries (*meter rates*).

Brick yards (*meter rates*).

Building purposes, brick per M., five (5) cents.

Stone, per perch, two (2) cents.

Concrete, per cubic yard, five (5) cents.

Cellar drainers, provided the water does not come from defective drains or leaky water-pipes (*meter rates*).

Cuspidors, with attachment, each two (2) dollars.

Distilleries (*meter rates*).

Drug stores, with or without water, in addition to dwelling charges, each five (5) dollars.

Drug stores, each basin or outlet, more than one, two (2) dollars.

Drug stores, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch attachment from main pipe, each five (5) dollars.

Drug stores, soda fountain, each five (5) dollars.

Drug stores, carbonator, each five (5) dollars.

Dwellings, half dwelling (one room on floor not facing on a street), without hydrant or sink on premises, each two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Dwellings, all other dwellings without hydrants or sink on premises, each five (5) dollars.

Dwellings, all dwellings with hydrant or sink, or hydrant in yard with sink in kitchen, with hot and cold water, or either, each five (5) dollars.

Dye works (*meter rates*).

Dye or wool washers (*meter rates*).

Dyeing machines (*meter rates*).

Eating and oyster saloons, with or without water, in addition to dwelling charges, each five (5) dollars.

Engines (gas or hot air), (*meter rates*).

Exhibition and experimental purposes (temporary), (*meter rates*).

Fish stores or stalls, each five (5) dollars.

Fish stores or stalls, where live fish are kept (*meter rates*).

For a flow of water (*metër rates*).

Forges, with water on premises, each forge exceeding five, one (1) dollar.

Forges, without water on the premises, each one (1) dollar.

Foundries (*meter rates*).

Fountains, counter in stores, $1/16$ -inch jet, each five (5) dollars.

Fountains, garden (*meter rates*).

Fountains, drinking (*meter rates*).

Fountains, drinking, with automatic shut-off, two (2) dollars.

Green or hot houses (*meter rates*).

Grindstones (power), each five (5) dollars.

Glass factories (*meter rates*).

Hatters' planks (*meter rates*).

Heating boilers, private residences excepted, each five (5) dollars.

Hose, use of same by attachment other than screw nozzle, three (3) dollars.

Hydraulic elevators (*meter rates*).

Ice-cream saloons, with or without water where not connected with bakeries, in addition to dwelling charges, three (3) dollars.

Ice machines (*meter rates*).

Ice refrigerating machines (*meter rates*).

Laundries, steam or other power (*meter rates*).

Laundries, hand, with or without water, in addition to dwelling charges, five (5) dollars.

Laundries, hand, each tub, in addition to dwelling charges, two (2) dollars.

Lawn sprinklers (*meter rates*).

Lime vats, each one (1) dollar.

Lime tubs, each one (1) dollar.

Machines, for washing, rinsing and scouring (*meter rates*).

Malt houses (*meter rates*).

Market houses, each stall, twenty-five (25) cents.

Milk houses, distributors (*meter rates*).

Milk houses, small, in addition to dwelling charges, each five (5) dollars.

Organ motors, each 2-inch, fifteen (15) dollars.

Organ motors, each 3-inch, thirty (30) dollars.

Organ motors, each 4-inch, fifty (50) dollars.

Photographers, with one outlet, five (5) dollars.

Photographers, each outlet more than one, two (2) dollars.

Polishing wheels, each five (5) dollars.

Printing establishments, in addition to fixture rates, with or without water, five (5) dollars.

Screw nozzles, each three (3) dollars.

Shops, weaving, carpenter, etc., with water on premises, in addition to dwelling charges, each sink or basin, two (2) dollars.

Shops, weaving, carpenter, etc., without water on premises, each one (1) dollar.

Slaughter houses (*meter rates*).

Soap boiling establishments, in addition to opening charges, each ten (10) dollars.

Stables, without water on premises, each stall, or carriage, or business wagon, one (1) dollar.

Stables, with water on premises, not exceeding five stalls or five carriages, or five business wagons; or stalls, carriages and business wagons combined, to the total number of five, five (5) dollars.

Stables, with water on premises, exceeding five stalls, or five carriages, or five business wagons; or stalls, carriages and business wagons combined, to the total number of five; for each additional stall, or carriage, or business wagon, one (1) dollar.

Stables, accommodating farmers, each stall fifty (50) cents.

Stall or box stalls, each additional feed box, one (1) dollar.

Steam boilers (*meter rates*).

Steam engines (*meter rates*).

Urinals, individual, in private dwellings, with tank or self-closing flush, each one (1) dollar.

Urinals, individual, in private dwellings, with positive or syphon flush (*meter rates*).

Urinals, individual, in stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with tank or self-closing flush, each two (2) dollars.

Urinals, individual, in stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with positive or syphon flush (*meter rates*).

Urinals, stalls with constant flow (*meter rates*).

Urinals, troughs with tank or self-closing flush (*meter rates*).

Urinals, troughs with positive or syphon flush (*meter rates*).

Urinals, troughs with one opening and constant flow (*meter rates*).

Vessels, steam or others, each 1,000 gallons, twenty-five (25) cents.

Vinegar establishments, in addition to opening charges, each ten (10) dollars.

Wash paves, each three (3) dollars.

Wash paves, for watering horses, each ten (10) dollars.

Wash paves, with service connection from main, each five (5) dollars.

Wash tubs, stationary, each tub (private dwellings), one (1) dollar.

Wash tubs, stationary, each tub (public institutions), two (2) dollars.

Water closets, private dwellings, with tank or self-closing flush, each one (1) dollar.

Water closets, private dwellings, with positive or syphon flush (*meter rates*).

Water closets, stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with tank or self-closing flush, each two (2) dollars.

Water closets, stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with positive or syphon flush (*meter rates*).

Water meters, rate for each 1,000 cubic feet, forty (40) cents.

Dwelling houses shall have but one water attachment. Stores (where there are a number in one building) and manufacturing establishments, when necessary, may have more than one connection.

Provided, That the amount of the annual water rent by schedule rates for each and every ferrule connection charged to any premises shall not be less than the following minimum rates, except as provided by ordinance of July 9, 1897, entitled "An Ordinance to adjust claims for

water rent," etc., and also, except as provided by ordinance of June 21, 1878, regulating the charges for charitable institutions.

$\frac{1}{2}$	inch ferrule	.....	\$5.00
$\frac{5}{8}$	" "	.....	16.00
$\frac{3}{4}$	" "	.....	26.00
1	" "	.....	40.00
$1\frac{1}{4}$	" "	.....	62.50
$1\frac{1}{2}$	" "	.....	90.00
2	" "	.....	160.00
3	" "	.....	360.00
4	" "	.....	640.00
6	" "	.....	1,440.00

Provided further, That in each case of a metered-water connection the amount of the charges for the entire year shall not be less, except for charitable institutions, public and private schools, than the minimum meter rates herewith fixed therefor. Said minimum rates shall include without additional charge the quantities of water likewise herewith fixed. Such minimum meter rates and such quantities of water shall be as follows:

Minimum Meter Rates and Quantities of Water Allowed Therefor.

For $\frac{1}{2}$ inch ferrule	\$8.00 minimum	8,000 cubic feet
$\frac{5}{8}$ " "	12.00 "	12,000 " "
$\frac{3}{4}$ " "	18.00 "	18,000 " "
1 " "	32.00 "	32,000 " "
$1\frac{1}{4}$ " "	50.00 "	50,000 " "
$1\frac{1}{2}$ " "	75.00 "	75,000 " "
2 " "	130.00 "	130,000 " "
3 " "	290.00 "	290,000 " "
4 " "	515.00 "	515,000 " "
6 " "	1,150.00 "	1,150,000 " "

All water in excess in any year of the quantity hereinabove fixed for any metered connection shall be charged for at the rate of forty (40) cents per one thousand (1,000) cubic feet.

And further Provided, That for purposes not specified in the foregoing rates, for peculiar and extraordinary uses

or purposes, for appliances other than those above named, the rates and conditions for the use of the water shall be by special permit as directed and issued by the Chief of the Bureau of Water.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby empowered and authorized to furnish and install meters in all premises where an undue or wasteful use of water is permitted, and to transfer from appliance rating to meter rating all said premises.

SECT. 3. All meters furnished and installed by the Director of the Department of Public Works by reason of Section 2, or any other section of this ordinance, shall be so furnished and installed at the expense of the owner or owners of the premises affected, and the cost thereof shall be included in and collected as hereinafter provided for meter accounts.

Provided, That the meter or meters placed on any premises shall not be of a larger size than the service pipe attached to the ferrule supplying said premises, which size is regulated by ordinance of Councils approved June 1, 1871.

Provided Further, Whenever any fixture in any premises is required to be metered, the meter shall be placed upon the service pipe supplying said premises, and no premises so metered shall be charged by fixture rate.

SECT. 4. All meters shall be under the control of the Chief of the Bureau of Water. The consumer shall be held responsible for the safe-keeping of the meter, or meters, on his premises, and all repairs shall be made at the consumer's cost, whether such repairs are made necessary by ordinary wear and tear, freezing, hot water, fire, accident or other causes. Bills for such repairs shall be collected as hereinafter provided for meter accounts.

SECT. 5. No meter shall be set, reset, or removed without a written order from the Bureau of Water. If a meter is set, reset, or removed without such order, there shall be charged to cover the cost of inspection, test or supervision, a sum in the amount of the annual minimum charge for the

connection, which sum shall be collected as hereinafter provided for meter accounts.

SECT. 6. All charitable institutions, public and private schools shall be metered. The charge by meter for charitable institutions, and for public and private schools, shall be only for the water actually registered by the meter and at the rate of six (6) cents for each one thousand (1,000) cubic feet of water consumed: *Provided*, That the size of the ferrule, or ferrules, granted such charitable institutions, public and private schools, shall be restricted to the same size as would be granted to other consumers at schedule rates.

SECT. 7. All meter accounts, including water consumed, repairs to meters, furnishing and installing meters, shall be payable to the Receiver of Taxes during the months of February, May, August and November. The accounts for consumption of water shall be made up from meter statements taken quarterly by the Bureau of Water and shall be rendered under the following conditions:

The February bill shall include the yearly minimum charge. Bills shall not be rendered in May and August unless the amount of the bill is greater than the yearly minimum charge, or there is a charge for repairing or installing a meter, in which cases the consumer shall be notified.

If any meter water account remains unpaid after the last day of the month in which the same is due, there shall be charged as a penalty for such non-payment an additional sum or sums as follows:

Five (5) per cent. after the last day of said month.

Five (5) per cent. additional after thirty (30) days after the last day of said month.

Five (5) per cent. additional after ninety (90) days after the last day of said month.

If any meter account remains unpaid ninety days after the last day of the month in which the same is due, the Water Bureau shall serve a notice upon the delinquent consumer, and if said account remains unpaid for ten (10)

days thereafter, the premises shall be deprived of water until all arrearages are paid.

If, in disregard of this provision, the water is turned on before the payment of all arrearages, the ferrule may be detached from the water main. In such case the ferrule shall not be reconnected until all back water rent charges and penalties are paid, and the necessary permit taken out for the replacing of the ferrule, which permit shall include the cost of withdrawing and replacing the ferrule.

SECT. 8. In the matter of a disputed bill, the consumer must enter complaint within ten (10) days of date of service of bill; and if the removal of a meter is requested for a test as to its accuracy, the consumer or his representative must, when possible, be given an opportunity to be present at the test, and if the test shows that the meter does not register in favor of the City, the complainant must pay to the City the sum of two (2) dollars.

SECT. 9. Because of the possible inability of installing before January 1, 1917, the meters herein required, and to permit a reasonable time for such installation, the rates established by the ordinance approved July 27, 1901, are hereby continued for one year from January 1, 1917, for certain appliances, as follows:

Bakeries, bread, and bread and cake, in addition to dwelling charges, each three (3) dollars.

Bars, with or without water, each twenty (20) dollars.

Bar gutters, with direct supply, each additional supply, fifteen (15) dollars.

Beer motor or pump, each five (5) dollars.

Baths (hot and cold, or either), pools in hotels, clubs, hospitals, public baths, etc., each 1,000 cubic feet of water consumed, forty (40) cents.

Bottling establishments, in addition to charges for appliances, washing machines, one bottle capacity, each two (2) dollars.

Bottling establishments, in addition to charges for appliances, washing machines, more than one bottle capacity, each additional bottle capacity, one (1) dollar.

Breweries, each 100 barrels of product (additional openings regular rates), two (2) dollars.

Cellar drainers (provided the water does not come from defective drains or leaky water-pipes), each fifteen (15) dollars.

Distilleries, each 100 barrels, two (2) dollars.

Dye works, each tub used, five (5) dollars.

Dye or wool washers, each tank used, five (5) dollars.

Dyeing machines, each five (5) dollars.

Engines (gas or hot air) with tank and reuse of water, three (3) dollars.

Engines (gas or hot air) without tank, per horse power, two (2) dollars.

Fish stalls, each five (5) dollars.

Foundries, hydrant (additional openings at regular rates), each ten (10) dollars.

Fountains, garden, etc., 1/16-inch jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each five (5) dollars.

Fountains, garden, etc., additional jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents.

Fountains, garden, etc., $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Fountains, garden, etc., additional jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Fountains, garden, etc., $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each twenty (20) dollars.

Fountains, garden, etc., additional jets, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each ten (10) dollars.

Fountains, garden, etc., $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch jet, 10 hours per day, 6 months each, seventy-five (75) dollars.

Fountains, garden, etc., additional jets, 10 hours per day, 6 months, each fifty (50) dollars.

(No ferrule larger than $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch granted for fountains exclusively.)

Green or hot houses, with or without water, private, each two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Green or hot houses, with or without water, for florists, each five (5) dollars.

Glass factories, per gang of men, in addition to opening charges, each one (1) dollar.

Glass factories, washing troughs, in addition to opening charges, each five (5) dollars.

Hatters' planks, fours per set, each eight (8) dollars.

Hatters' planks, sixes per set, each ten (10) dollars.

Hatters' planks, sevens per set, each eleven (11) dollars.

Hatters' planks, eights per set, each twelve (12) dollars.

Hydraulic elevators, water repumped, each ten (10) dollars.

Ice machines, per ton (2,000 lbs.) daily capacity, four (4) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents.

Ice refrigerating machines, per ton (2,000 lbs.) daily capacity, three (3) dollars.

Laundries, with or without water, in addition to dwelling charges, each five (5) dollars.

Lawn sprinklers, each five (5) dollars.

Machines, for washing, rinsing and scouring, charges to be assessed according to capacity of tanks or tubs, and volume of water consumed, per 1,000 feet, thirty (30) cents.

Malt houses, in addition to opening charges, each fifty (50) dollars.

Milk houses, with or without water, in addition to opening charges, each five (5) dollars.

Steam boilers, per horse power, two (2) dollars.

Steam engines, per horse power, two (2) dollars.

(NOTE—Where steam is used for engine power only, no charge for boiler.)

Steam engines, used on railroads (shifting), each seventy-five (75) dollars.

Steam engines, used on railroads (all others), each thirty-seven (37) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Urinals, individual bowl in stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with positive or syphon flush, each five (5) dollars.

Urinals, stalls with constant flow, per lineal foot, three (3) dollars.

Urinals, troughs with tank or self-closing flush, five (5) dollars.

Urinals, troughs with positive or syphon flush, each ten (10) dollars.

Urinals, troughs with one opening and constant flow, each fifteen (15) dollars.

Water closets, stores, offices, manufactories, hotels, boarding houses, schools, halls, etc., with positive or syphon flush, each five (5) dollars.

SECT. 10. The Chief of the Bureau of Water is hereby authorized and directed to be governed by the following rules and regulations in the adjustment of claims for alleged excessive charges for water.

First. In all cases where property has been destroyed by fire or made untenable by action of the City, full rates up to date of fire or when made untenable; future payment by permit. In all cases where property has been acquired for municipal purposes, existing water charges shall terminate on the date title to said property passes.

Second. Where ferrules have been drawn for delinquency, payment in full to include the current year when the ferrule was drawn. No further payment until water is introduced, provided an affidavit be furnished by the owner that no City water was used.

Third. Where permits have been taken out in error for new properties, no charge to be made until water is turned on at the curb.

Fourth. In all cases where buildings have been torn down, full rate for the part of the current year during the existence of the building only: *Provided,* A permit for the rebuilding is taken out and paid for, and when there is no intention to rebuild a permit must be taken out for drawing the ferrule.

Fifth. Where the source of supply is both public and private the payment must be made by meter.

Sixth. Buildings unoccupied for an entire calendar year to have charges reduced as follows:

For metered connections to one-half the minimum charge.

For schedule rate connections to the ferrule charge only.

A credit in the amount of the reduction shall be made on the next bill rendered, it being understood that no claim for reduction shall be considered unless made during the month of January of the year next following the year of unoccupancy.

Seventh. Water takers who have omitted to decline, within the time stated in existing ordinances, any appliances the use of which they may desire to discontinue for the succeeding year, shall be entitled to a reduction of one-half the regular charge: *Provided*, The said appliance was removed prior to December 31st of the preceding year and that claim for excess reduction has been made before the 31st day of December of the year following the removal of the appliance.

It is understood that affidavits must be furnished when required by the Bureau, and that all allegations made or affidavits furnished are subject to verification by the Bureau. All claims not fully met by the foregoing are to be adjusted by the Chief of the Bureau of Water in such manner as he may deem just and equitable.

No adjustment shall be made on any bill which has remained unpaid for two years. No adjustment shall be made on any paid account except for the year next preceding the one in which the claim is made.

The Chief of the Bureau of Water is hereby authorized to remit the penalties prescribed by ordinance of City Councils for the non-payment of bills for water on or before certain prescribed dates in any case where such penalties accrue against a property by reason of failure to pay bills in any of the following cases:

First. Removal of meter for test.

Second. Adjustment of disputed bill because of ascertained error or overcharge.

Third. Where, by existing ordinances, adjustments are permitted to be made in charges for water, either under meter or fixture rate.

The Chief of the Bureau of Water is hereby authorized to waive claims for water charges remaining unpaid for fifteen years after the year in which they were assessed if, in his judgment, there is no immediate prospect of their payment.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 200.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue."

APPENDIX No. 201.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Committee on Art.

WHEREAS, There is in course of erection an Art Gallery, designated to house the many works of art now in the

possession of and to be hereafter acquired or received by the City of Philadelphia;

AND WHEREAS, It is fitting that the work of selecting and arranging such art treasures should be in the hands of connoisseurs and experts skilled in such matters;

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint a Committee on Art to have general supervision over the collection and display of any and all works of art that are now or may hereafter be in the possession of the City, the same to be without any expense to the City.

APPENDIX No. 202.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John S. Miller to lay a temporary drain in Dorset street, from Chew street to a point about three hundred (300) feet northeast of Chew street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit John S. Miller to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Dorset street, from Chew street to a point about three hundred (300) feet northeast of Chew street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 203.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the northeast side of McCallum street, from a point two hundred and forty-seven (247) feet nine and one-quarter ($9\frac{1}{4}$) inches northwest of Lincoln avenue to the sewer in Lincoln avenue.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in the northeast side of McCallum street, from a point two hundred and forty-seven (247) feet nine and one-quarter ($9\frac{1}{4}$) inches northwest of Lincoln avenue to the sewer in Lincoln avenue. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said streets.

APPENDIX No. 204.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John H. McClatchy to lay a temporary drain in the southwest side of McCallum street, from a point one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet five and three-eighths ($5\frac{3}{8}$) inches northwest of Westview avenue to the sewer in Westview avenue.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit John H.

McClatchy to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in the southwest side of McCallum street, from a point one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet five and three-eighths ($5\frac{3}{8}$) inches northwest of Westview avenue to the sewer in Westview avenue. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said streets.

APPENDIX No. 205.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit M. Haupt to lay a temporary drain in the west side of Fifty-ninth street, from about one hundred (100) feet north of Locust street to a connection with the present sewer at Locust street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit M. Haupt to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in the west side of Fifty-ninth street, from about one hundred (100) feet north of Locust street to a connection with the present sewer at Locust street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 206.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Department of Public Works to issue permits for breaking streets during the months of December, 1916, January and February, 1917; and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That all ordinances which forbid or prevent the Department of Public Works from issuing permits or permitting the doing of work in any streets of the City during the winter months (from the first day of December, 1916, to the first day of March, 1917, following, or any other day or date) be, and the same are hereby suspended and declared to be inoperative, at the judgment and discretion of the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works, during the winter months, to the end that the Department of Public Works, as far as possible, permit the carrying on or continuance of all classes of work in said Department which may give employment to our people.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 207.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your resolution of even date, I return to you herewith Common Council Ordinance

No. 163, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dilworth street, from Commercial avenue to Snyder avenue."

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 208.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes, for the year 1917,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, Robert Smith, Bernard J. McGuigan, Morris E. Conn, Wm. D. Bacon, George D’Autrechy, Isaac D. Hetzell, Wm. J. Crawford, E. Buchholz, Wm. E. Finley, John F. Flaherty, T. J. McCarthy, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, Wm. C. Williams.

AN ORDINANCE

To levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1917.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Revision of Taxes is hereby authorized and required forthwith to levy on the taxable property returned by the assessors as the assessment made in the year 1916 (except such as are marked agricultural and farm lands, and rural or suburban) a tax of one (1) dollar and twenty (20) cents on the hundred dollars on the assessed value thereof.

SECT. 2. The said tax to be levied for the year 1917 as one City and County tax, and is hereby voted for the following objects for the said year, viz.:

For the payment of interest on the funded debt and for the sinking fund, the sum of twenty-five (25) cents.

For the relief and employment of the poor, the sum of four (4) cents.

For health, the sum of three (3) cents.

For lighting the City, the sum of six (6) cents.

For the care of the public highways, the sum of ten (10) cents.

For the supply of water, the sum of four (4) cents.

For the care of markets and City property, the sum of two (2) cents.

For the police, the sum of ten (10) cents.

For fire, the sum of seven (7) cents.

For prisons, the sum of two (2) cents.

For the expenses of the City Commissioners, the sum of six (6) cents.

For supplies, the sum of ten (10) cents.

For the remaining expenses of the municipality, the sum of thirty-one (31) cents.

Said amounts are hereby declared to be appropriated for said objects, subject to further direction by ordinance, and it shall be the duty of the Receiver of Taxes to cause to be printed on the tax bills the rate voted for the objects hereinbefore mentioned.

SECT. 3. On all such portions of assessed property marked "agricultural and farm lands" only one-half of the highest rate of tax shall be levied, and on all such portions marked "rural or suburban" only two-thirds of the highest rate of tax shall be levied; and no part set apart for the relief and employment of the poor shall be levied on the assessed property situate in wards where houses for the accommodation of the poor are provided, as required by the Eighteenth Section of the Act of February 2, 1854.

SECT. 4. That upon all taxes paid during January, February and March a discount of one (1) per cent. shall be allowed; during the month of April a discount at the rate of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) of one (1) per cent. shall be allowed; during the month of May a discount at the rate

of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of one (1) per cent. shall be allowed; during the month of June a discount at the rate of one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of one (1) per cent. shall be allowed. During July and August no discount shall be allowed and no penalty shall be imposed. If paid after the 31st day of August and on or before the 30th day of September, an addition or penalty of one (1) per cent. shall be imposed; if paid on or before the 31st day of October there shall be an addition or penalty of two (2) per cent. imposed; if paid on or before the 30th day of November there shall be an addition or penalty of three (3) per cent. imposed; if paid on or before the 31st day of December there shall be an addition or penalty of four (4) per cent. imposed, and upon all taxes remaining unpaid on and after the first day of January there shall be an addition or penalty of five (5) per cent. and the cost of advertising added to and made payable on the same. And it shall be the duty of the Receiver of Taxes to display from day to day, in large figures, and in a conspicuous place in the Tax Office the amount of discount or penalty fixed by ordinance.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 209.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make a topographical survey and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto,”

respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This tract has recently been annexed to the City of Philadelphia and it is desirable that the street system of the City be extended to cover this addition. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, James A. Humphrys, Harry Keene, John L. Dougherty, H. Edgar Barnes, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. H. Shaw.

AN ORDINANCE

To make a topographical survey, and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to make a topographical survey and establish lines and grades of new streets, together with the establishment of parking places and parks in the territory bounded on the southeast by Hasbrook street, on the southwest by Cheltenham avenue and on the northwest by the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets adjacent thereto.

APPENDIX No. 210.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This extension covers a section which was formerly attached to Montgomery County, in the vicinity of Lawndale, adjoining the present Tenth Survey District, but was annexed recently to the City of Philadelphia. It is necessary that this section should be included in one of the Survey Districts of the City. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Geo. Mitchell, Daniel Cahill, Wm. J. Harrington, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, James A. Humphrys, Harry Keene, John L. Dougherty, H. Edgar Barnes, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. H. Shaw.

AN ORDINANCE

To extend the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the boundaries of the Tenth Survey District be extended so as to include all that certain tract of ground recently detached and severed from Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and attached and annexed to the City of Philadelphia by a decree of Court dated June 17, 1916, bounded as follows: On the southeast by the former County Line in the middle of Hasbrook (formerly G) street, on the northwest by the southerly right-of-way line of the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad Company, and on the southwest by the middle line of Cheltenham avenue.

APPENDIX No. 211.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street, in the Twenty-first Ward,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision has for its purpose the striking from the City plan of Roxborough street, which at this time intersects a playground, and the widening of Cresson street, from Roxborough avenue to Cotton street, the ground to be taken for this widening out of the playground located on the northeasterly side of Cresson street. Also the readjustment of the intersection of Silverwood and Roxborough streets. There will be no damages against the City by reason of this revision. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, James A. Humphrys, Harry Keene, John L. Dougherty, H. Edgar Barnes, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. H. Shaw.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City Plan No. 72, bounded by Silverwood street, Rector street, Cresson street and Cotton street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

APPENDIX No. 212.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Hollywood, Myrtlewood and Sydenham streets, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, James A. Humphrys, Harry Keene, John L. Dougherty, H. Edgar Barnes, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. H. Shaw.

AN ORDINANCE

To place upon the City plan Hollywood, Myrtlewood and Sydenham streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place upon the City plan Hollywood and Myrtlewood streets, each of the width of forty feet, from Norris street to Sedgley avenue, and Sydenham street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Sixty-eighth avenue north to Haines street: *Provided*, That before said streets shall be placed upon the City plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing the said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades.

APPENDIX No. 213.

Philadelphia, November 23, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved August 22, 1916, entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue,’ ” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. Boal, George H. Kelley, Geo. Mitchell, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, James A. Humphrys, Harry Keene, John L. Dougherty, H. Edgar Barnes, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. H. Shaw.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance approved August 22, 1916, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon a portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved August 22, 1916, authorizing the revision of the lines and grades of streets upon the portion of City Plan No. 342, bounded by Gross street, Lebanon avenue, Prentice street and Lansdowne avenue, be altered and amended by striking out the words “and to make the same sixty (60) feet wide from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; to reduce the width of Sixty-fifth street from seventy (70) feet to sixty (60) feet from Lansdowne avenue to

Lebanon avenue, the reduction to be all upon the east side thereof" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and to make the same fifty (50) feet wide from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue; to reduce the width of Sixty-fifth street from seventy (70) feet to sixty (60) feet, from Lansdowne avenue to Lebanon avenue, the reduction to be five (5) feet upon each side thereof."

APPENDIX No. 214.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William O. Mahon to lay a temporary drain in the east side of Broad street, from a point 225 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue North, to a point 314 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue North, and thence across Broad street to a connection with present sewer in the west side thereof.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia. That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit William O. Mahon to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in the east side of Broad street, from a point 225 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue North, to a point 314 feet south of Sixty-eighth avenue North, and thence across Broad street to a connection with present sewer in the west side thereof. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 215.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, November 28, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 177, entitled “An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Board of Recreation, Civil Service Commission, Mayor, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Prothonotary, Law and City Treasurer, for the year 1916,” with my approval, except for the following items:

“DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

“BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

“Item 2(a). Transportation, etc., one hundred and seventy-five dollars.....	\$175
“Item 11(a). Transportation, two hundred and twenty-five dollars	225”

thereby eliminating the four hundred (400) dollars transferred from the “Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), Item 12, Repairs to Automobiles.”

The Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) has asked me to veto these items, explaining that they are to be taken care of, through other ordinances that will come before your Honorable Bodies, to better advantage.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 216.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property and the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, and the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be authorized to transfer any balances in the appropriation out of Item 160 (loan), for the improvement of Washington and Independence Squares, from the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.

APPENDIX No. 217.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park, and providing for the payment of the said architect,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifications for, and supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park, and providing for the payment of the said architect.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with an architect, to be selected by him, for the preparation of plans and specifi-

cations for, and the supervision of the erection of, the buildings necessary for the completion of the improvement of League Island Park.

SECT. 2. The compensation of the said architect, for the services herein provided for, shall be paid from such sums as are now available, or may hereafter become available, for the carrying on of the said improvement of League Island Park.

APPENDIX No. 218.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance designating and approving the Corn Exchange National Bank as one of the active depositories of City funds,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Designating and approving the Corn Exchange National Bank as one of the active depositories of City funds.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Corn Exchange National Bank be, and the same is hereby designated and approved as one of the active City depositories of the City’s moneys.

Provided, however, That the said active depository designated in this ordinance shall pay the rate of interest provided for in an ordinance approved the twenty-fourth day of December, 1914, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the deposit of City's moneys and fixing the amount of interest thereon."

APPENDIX No. 219.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make additional expenditures at Byberry Farms, out of loan money," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, to make additional expenditures at Byberry Farms out of loan money.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Charities, is*

hereby authorized to expend out of Item 190 (loan) the additional sum of two hundred and seventy-five thousand (275,000) dollars, for the erection of buildings, with appurtenances, at Byberry, for the Philadelphia Institution for the Feeble-minded.

APPENDIX No. 220.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its annual automobile show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month of each year during the next four years," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to hold its Annual Automobile Show in the main exhibition hall of the Philadelphia Museums for one month of each year during the next four years.

WHEREAS, The main exhibition hall in the central building of the Philadelphia Museums is without equipment

for either the heating or lighting thereof, and the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums is without available funds to equip the same,

AND WHEREAS, The Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association, an organization formed to promote the automobile trade in the City of Philadelphia, is willing to donate the money necessary to pay the cost of such equipment, not to exceed the sum of \$20,000, provided it may be permitted to hold its annual automobile show in said exhibition hall for not to exceed one month in each year during the next four years, and to charge an admission fee thereto;

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums is hereby authorized to permit the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association to use the exhibition hall located between the Central building and the South building of the Philadelphia Museums buildings for its Annual Automobile Show during one month of each of the next four consecutive years under suitable regulations to be agreed upon by the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums and the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association, the first exhibition to begin January 1, 1917, the dates of the remaining exhibitions to be fixed by agreement between the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums and the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association shall first pay to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums, or furnish to it a satisfactory guaranty to pay, a sum sufficient to pay the cost of installation, not to exceed \$20,000, of a proper heating and lighting plant in said exhibition hall, and shall also pay to said Board annually during said four years a sum sufficient, in the judgment of the Board, to pay the expense of lighting, heating, policing and keeping clean the said exhibition hall during such show, said agreement to be in form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

The Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association may charge an admission fee to said automobile shows and

may also make a charge to exhibitors for space in said hall, the proceeds to be used to reimburse the association for the expense of holding said exhibition and for the payments to said Museums; all other parts of the buildings and grounds of the Museums to be open to the free access of the public.

APPENDIX No. 221.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for supplies heretofore delivered.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in amounts ag-

gregating two hundred and seventeen thousand six hundred and six (217,606) dollars and twelve (12) cents for supplies heretofore delivered, and chargeable against certain items as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

(HEALTH.)

Item 7. John Jamison, for butter, three hundred and fifty-six dollars and thirty-eight cents	\$356 38
National Hotel Supply Co., for meat, three hundred and ninety dollars and ninety cents	390 90

(CHARITIES.)

Item 16. Emmons Coal Mining Co., for coal, two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and sixteen cents	288 16
Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, three thousand seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-one cents.....	3,762 81
Item 17 (200 loan). Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, ten thousand four hundred and twelve dollars and thirty-eight cents...	10,412 38
Item 19 (200 loan). Roesch Packing Co., for meats, two thousand one hundred and twenty-five dollars and seventy-two cents...	2,125 72
Consolidated Dressed Beef Co., meats, nineteen thousand five hundred and fifty-one dollars and eighty-three cents.....	19,551 83
D. B. Martin Co., for meats, five thousand two hundred and forty dollars and fifty-three cents	5,240 53
Item 20 (200 loan). Alfred Lowry & Bro., for cereals, four hundred and forty-nine dollars and sixty-six cents.....	449 66
Kirk, Foster & Co., for cereals, three hundred and twenty dollars and eighty-eight cents..	320 88

Item 21. The Corby Co., for yeast, five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and forty cents	538 40
Item 21 (200 loan). Alfred Lowry & Bro., for groceries, etc., two thousand one hundred and thirty dollars and eighty-eight cents	2,130 88
Kirk, Foster & Co., for groceries, fifty-seven dollars and twenty-four cents.	57 24
William H. Hahn, for groceries, two thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight dollars and fifty-one cents.	2,798 51
Simon & Dunlap, for vegetables, seventeen thousand four hundred and twenty-two dollars and seventy-one cents.	17,422 71
Philip Hoffman, for butter and eggs, fifteen thousand four hundred and eighty-two dollars and seventy-seven cents.	15,482 77
John Jamison, for butter, one thousand and ninety-three dollars and ninety-four cents..	1,093 94
American Ice Co., for ice, two thousand four hundred and eighty-four dollars and ninety cents	2,484 90
Item 23 (200 loan). Jos. N. Snellenburg, for wearing apparel, four thousand one hundred and fifty-six dollars.	4,156 00
Item 24 (200 loan). Francis R. Strawbridge, for chinaware, twenty-two dollars and forty cents.	22 40
I. H. Wisler & Son, for chairs, thirty-dollars.	30 00
Item 25 (200 loan). Physician's Supply Co., for hospital supplies, one hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-five cents.	150 25
Charles Lentz & Sons, for hospital supplies, fifty-five dollars and fifty cents.	55 50
Samuel D. Lit, for hospital supplies, nine dollars	9 00

John Wyeth & Bro., for drugs, five hundred and eleven dollars and sixty cents.....	511 60
Hance Bros. & White, Inc., for drugs, twenty-four dollars and fifty cents.....	24 50
Armour & Co., for drugs, sixty-four dollars and fifty cents.....	64 50
Parke, Davis & Co., for drugs, thirty-seven dollars and twenty cents.....	37 20
The Atlantic Refining Co., for hospital supplies, etc., eighty-seven dollars and thirty-two cents	87 32
John M. Maris Co., for hospital supplies, two hundred and eight dollars and fifty cents..	208 50
Item 25 (200 loan). Penna. Alcohol and Chemical Co., for alcohol, etc., four hundred and sixty-seven dollars and forty-nine cents	467 49
Edward Trainer, for whiskey, two hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-nine cents	281 89
H. K. Mulford Co., for antitoxin, etc., one hundred and forty-one dollars and sixty cents	141 60
Phila. Pure Oxygen Co., for oxygen, forty-three dollars and twenty cents.....	43 20
Jos. N. Snellenburg, for gauze, thirteen thousand six hundred and fifty dollars....	13,650 00
Freeman & Pettijohn, for drugs, etc., eight dollars and fifty cents.....	8 50
West Disinfecting Co., for disinfectant, two hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty cents	232 40
McIlvaine Bros., for drugs, etc., two hundred and twenty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents	229 35
Frank E. Morgan & Sons, for drugs, etc., five hundred and thirty-three dollars.....	533 00
Powers - Weightman - Rosengarten Co., for drugs, five hundred and thirty-three dollars and two cents.....	533 02

Robert Shoemaker & Co., for drugs, etc., seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and eighty-eight cents.	787 88
Edward P. Dolbey & Co., for drugs, twenty dollars and seventy-five cents.	20 75
Defender Photo Supply Co., Inc., for hospital supplies, three hundred and nineteen dollars	319 00
John H. Taws, for hospital supplies, three dollars and eighty-one cents.	3 81
Harvey R. Pierce Co., for hospital supplies, ninety-eight dollars and sixty cents.	98 60
Dermatological Research Laboratories, for drugs, one hundred and ninety-two dollars. .	192 00
Valentine H. Smith & Co., Inc., for drugs, sixty dollars	60 00
Adam Pfromm & Co., for drugs, forty-one dollars and twenty-five cents.	41 25
Aschenbach & Miller, Inc., for drugs, one hundred and ten dollars and forty cents.	110 40
Smith, Kline & French Co., for drugs, one hundred and seventy-two dollars.	172 00
Shoemaker & Busch, for drugs, etc., two thousand one hundred and fifty-five dollars and fifty-five cents.	2,155 55
Item 26 (200 loan). David McMullin, Jr., for forage, four thousand eight hundred and fifty-six dollars and twenty-five cents. .	4,856 25
Charles W. Bosler, for forage, one hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-five cents	143 75
Item 27 (200 loan). Jos. N. Snellenburg, for chimneys, three dollars and ninety-six cents	3 96
Markovitz Bros., for fly netting, ninety-eight dollars	98 00
M. A. Bruder, for paints, three hundred and twenty dollars.	320 00

Henry A. Dreer, Inc., for plants, one hundred and forty-four dollars.....	144 00
Geo. D. Wetherill & Co., for varnish, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.....	125 00
James J. Quigley & Son, for tin, one hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty cents.....	146 60
Maxwell Paint Co., for paints, forty-eight dollars	48 00
John Maneely, for fittings, fifty-four dollars and seventy-four cents.....	54 74
Simon & Dunlap, for seed potatoes, seven hundred and sixty dollars and seventy-eight cents	760 78
R. Levick's Son & Co., for hose, two hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventy-five cents	293 75
Cusack Hardware Co., for fly traps, twenty-seven dollars	27 00
The Fairbanks Co., for valves, etc., fifty-one dollars and twelve cents.....	51 12

(POLICE.)

Item 7 (200 loan). The Bingham Co., for books, thirty-seven dollars.....	37 00
Whiting-Patterson Co., Inc., for envelopes, fifty-one dollars and sixty cents.....	51 60
West Disinfecting Co., for metal polish, sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.....	62 50
F. W. Hoffman & Co., for brushes, nineteen dollars and fifty cents.....	19 50
Jos. J. Kelly & Co., Inc., for waste, fifty-three dollars and seventy-five cents.....	53 75
Remington Typewriter Co., Inc., for carbon paper, thirteen dollars and twenty cents...	13 20
Paul W. Gibbons, for printing, etc., sixty-four dollars	64 00

Noel Printing Co., Inc., for printing, one hundred and twelve dollars.....	112 00
Walker & Kepler, for fans, thirty-nine dollars and seventy-five cents.....	39 75
Item 10 (200 loan). Charles Lentz & Sons, for absorbent cotton, eleven dollars.....	11 00
H. K. Mulford Co., for antitoxin, one dollar and fifty cents.....	1 50
Wm. S. Hansell & Sons, for harness, thirty-nine dollars and four cents.....	39 04
The Atlantic Refining Co., for oil, sixteen dollars and ten cents.....	16 10
Shoemaker & Busch, for surgeons' supplies, one hundred and seventy-seven dollars and thirty-eight cents.....	177 38
Wm. Barnett & Sons, for soap, eighteen dollars	18 00
O. F. Zurn & Co., for oil, seven dollars and sixty cents.....	7 60
E. A. Tygert Co., Inc., for oil, eighteen dollars and twenty cents.....	18 20
Item 10 (200 loan). Powers - Weightman - Rosengarten Co., for drugs, seven dollars and thirteen cents.....	7 13
Keim Supply Co., for bits, thirty-nine dollars and twenty-four cents.....	39 24
A. Smith & Son, for stretchers, twelve dollars.	12 00
Item 11 (200 loan). Grim's Auto Supply Store, for automobile tires, etc., four hundred and seventy-nine dollars and fifteen cents	479 15
Wm. Barnett & Sons, for soap, thirty-seven dollars and thirty-five cents.....	37 35
Chas. J. Field's Sons, for rope, one dollar and twenty-five cents.....	1 25
Elisha Webb & Son Co., for buoys, etc., twelve dollars and forty cents.....	12 40

John Lucas & Co., Inc., for paint, etc., twenty-four dollars and seventy-one cents.....	24 71
A. Smith & Son, for stretcher, six dollars....	6 00
J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., for auto supplies, two dollars and fifty cents.....	2 50
United States Tire Co., for tires, etc., three hundred and twenty-seven dollars and thirty-eight cents.....	327 38
Item 12 (200 loan). D. C. Humphrys Co., for flags, fourteen dollars and sixty-five cents	14 65

(CORRECTION.)

Item 16 (200 loan). Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, three thousand two hundred and eighty-nine dollars and thirty-two cents	3,289 32
Item 17. David C. Bradley, for meats, one hundred and forty-one dollars and ninety-three cents.....	141 93
Roesch Packing Co., for meats, seven hundred and thirteen dollars and forty-one cents....	713 41

(FIRE.)

Item 25 (200 loan). The Texas Co., for gasoline, one hundred and thirty-six dollars and fifty cents.....	136 50
Item 27 (200 loan). Shoemaker & Busch, for veterinary supplies, one hundred and eighty-four dollars and twenty cents.....	184 20
Item 28 (200 loan). E. A. Tygert Co., Inc., for motor oil, three hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty cents.....	317 20
Jos. J. Kelly & Co., Inc., for oil, eighty-four dollars and eighty-four cents.....	84 84
Item 29 (200 loan). J. Harry Schumacher & Co., for auto chains, thirty-seven dollars..	37 00

United States Tire Co., for tires, two thousand four hundred and seven dollars and seventy-three cents.....	2,407 73
N. Z. Graves Corporation, for paint, etc., fifteen dollars and eighty cents.....	15 80
Elisha Webb & Son Co., for buoys, etc., seventy-nine dollars and fifty cents.....	79 50
Philip W. O'Brien & Co., for brushes, three dollars and seventy-five cents.....	3 75
The J. E. Fricke Co., for rope, sixty-one dollars and five cents.....	61 05
S. F. Hayward & Co., for life belts, etc., nine hundred dollars and fifty cents.....	900 50
J. Tritsch Co., for brushes, etc., seven dollars and eighty cents.....	7 80
International Motor Co., for auto parts, fifty-seven dollars and fifty-eight cents.....	57 58
Frank W. Winne & Son, Inc., for rope, seventy-four dollars and ninety cents.....	74 90
James D. Brady & Co., for blocks, etc., thirty-six dollars and fifty cents.....	36 50

(HIGHWAYS.)

Item 10 (e) (200 loan). J. Alfred Clark, for castings, eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.....	887 75
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(WATER.)

Item 21. Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, one thousand two hundred and forty-eight dollars and seventy-four cents.....	1,248 74
Emmons Coal Mining Co., for coal, three thousand and twelve dollars and ninety-seven cents.....	3,012 97
Item 21 (200 loan). Geo. B. Newton Coal Co., for coal, twenty-three thousand five hundred and sixty-six dollars and fifty-four cents	23,566 54

Frank F. Mathers, for coal, two hundred and fifty-nine dollars and ninety-seven cents...	259 97
Climax Coal Co., for coal, three thousand seven hundred and thirty dollars and eighteen cents.....	3,730 18
Emmons Coal Mining Co., for coal, fifty-five thousand and sixty-two dollars and ninety-three cents.....	55,062 93
Item 23 (200' loan). Shoemaker & Busch, for drugs, forty-six dollars and seventy five cents	46 75
John A. Roebling's Sons, for cable, twenty-three dollars.....	23 00
Taylor Instrument Co., for thermometers, thirteen dollars and fifty cents.....	13 50
Arthur H. Thomas Co., for laboratory supplies, eleven dollars and seventy-six cents..	11 76
Arnold, Hoffman & Co., for liquid chlorine, two thousand and sixty-six dollars and sixty-three cents.....	2,066 63

 APPENDIX No. 222.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street between Nedro and City line,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the

annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in payment of bills of the Union Paving Company for extra work in connection with the improvement of Fifth street between Nedro avenue and City line.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Union Paving Company for the sum of eight hundred and thirty-one (\$31) dollars and forty-four (44) cents, for extra work done in connection with the improvement of Fifth street between Nedro avenue and City line, as per certified bills on file in the office of the Bureau of Highways; said warrant to be charged to the item for grading in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

APPENDIX No. 223.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an

ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property,' " respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled "An ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved June 30, 1916, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on line of Margie street over the Connecting Railway, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property," be amended as follows: Section 1 of said ordinance, which now reads as follows: "*The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the construction of a bridge, with appurtenant work, on line of Margie street, over the Connecting Railway: *Provided*, That the Connecting Railway Company shall pay the entire cost of the bridge and its appurtenant work,

excepting the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; and that the City of Philadelphia shall pay the said sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, and in addition thereto the entire cost of adjusting the approaches," be amended to read as follows: "*The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the construction of a bridge, with appurtenant work, on line of Margie street, over the Connecting Railway: *Provided*, That the Connecting Railway Company shall pay the entire cost of the bridge and its appurtenant work, excepting the sum of sixteen thousand six hundred (16,600) dollars; and that the City of Philadelphia shall pay the said sum of sixteen thousand six hundred (16,600) dollars, and in addition thereto the entire cost of adjusting the approaches; and that by reason of the increase in current and prospective prices of steel work and other elements of bridge construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to accept the lowest bid received at the opening of bids on September 21, 1916, without regard to previous estimates of cost and without re-advertisement." Section 2 of said ordinance, which now reads as follows: "That the sum of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars be taken from the unexpended balances in Item 22 (1915) and Item 163 (loan) and appropriated for the construction of the said bridge and its appurtenant work," be amended to read as follows: "That the sum of seventeen thousand (17,000) dollars be taken from the unexpended balances in Item 22 (1915) and Item 163 (loan), Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, and appropriated for the construction of the said bridge and its appurtenant work."

APPENDIX No. 224.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Recreation to make certain expenditures out of loan funds for the development and improvement of playgrounds,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Board of Recreation to make certain expenditures out of loan funds for the development and improvement of playgrounds.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Recreation be, and it is hereby authorized to make the following expenditures, viz.: for the development and improvement of the playground at Shirley, Francis and Wylie streets, Fifteenth Ward, an additional sum not exceeding fourteen thousand two hundred (14,200) dollars; for playgrounds, Twenty-second and Sedgley avenue, Twenty-eighth Ward, an additional sum not exceeding eight thousand eight hundred (8,800) dollars; for the Kingsessing Recreation Center, Fifty-first and Chester avenue, an additional sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, and for Stenton Park Playground, Sixteenth and Wyoming avenue, a sum not exceeding five thousand five

hundred (5,500) dollars, to be charged against Item 190 (loan); for the playground at Twenty-second and Sedgely avenue, a sum not exceeding eight hundred (800) dollars, to be charged against Item 170 (loan): *Provided*, That any part of these amounts not used for the purposes specified shall revert to the original item and be subject to future allotment.

APPENDIX No. 225.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, City Controller, Coroner, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Receiver of Taxes, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, for the year 1916,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Mayor, City Controller,

Coroner, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Receiver of Taxes, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Departments, for the year 1916: Department of Public Safety, Director's office: From Item 5, rent of telautograph, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Bureau of Police: From Item 5, uniforms, three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars; from Item 8, salaries, one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 20, salaries, nine hundred and ninety-two (992) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; from Item 22, uniforms, twenty (20) dollars. Bureau of Fire: From Item 3, uniforms, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars; from Item 7, uniforms, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Electrical Bureau: From Item 2 (d), postage, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 5 (b), incandescent current, fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 10, repairs, etc., elevator service and power plant, one thousand one hundred and sixteen (1,116) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents; from Item 17 (b), improvements, additions, etc., one thousand two hundred and two (1,202) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; from Item 17 (c), manhole covers, etc., two thousand nine hundred (2,900) dollars. Bureau of Correction: From Item 3, salaries, one thousand two hundred and ninety-six (1,296) dollars; from Item 4 (c), power for elevator, seventy-four (74) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; from Item 6 (d), repairs to furniture, one hundred and eighty-nine (189) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents. Bureau of Building Inspection: From Item 1, salaries, eighty-eight (88) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; from Item 2 (b), removing dangerous buildings, two hundred (200) dollars. Bureau of Steam Engines and Boiler Inspection: From Item 1, salaries, five hundred and seventeen (517) dollars; from Item 2 (a), carfare, etc., six hundred (600) dollars. Bureau of Elevator Inspection: From Item 1, salaries,

three hundred and fifty-five (355) dollars. Department of Public Works, Director's office: From Item 1, salaries, one thousand (1,000) dollars. Bureau of Gas: From Item 1 (a), salaries, two thousand six hundred and fifteen (2,615) dollars and eight (8) cents. Bureau of Highways: From Item 1, salaries, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; from Item 3, books, etc., one hundred and ninety (190) dollars; from Item 6, salaries, two hundred and ninety (290) dollars; from Item 7, salaries, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; from Item 8, salaries, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars; from Item 10, salaries, one hundred (100) dollars; from Item 12, repairs to automobiles, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 13, grading, etc., forty-one (41) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; from Item 14 (a), rent of district offices, etc., six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 15 (a), salaries, six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 16 (c), horseshoeing, one hundred and forty (140) dollars; from Item 18 (a), street cleaning, three thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (3,855) dollars and fifty (50) cents; from Item 18 (b), removal of ashes, etc., one hundred and forty-two (142) dollars and fifty (50) cents; from Item 18 (c), removal of garbage, etc., one hundred and ninety (190) dollars; from Item 18 (d), removal of snow, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; from Item 20 (d), repairs, etc., two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; from Item 21, wages (sewers and inlets), two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; from Item 22 (b), hire of equipment, etc., four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; from Item 22 (c), repairs to equipment, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 25 (a), repairs to equipment, etc., four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; from Item 27, salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 29, salaries, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars; from Item 31 (b), hire of equipment, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 31 (c), repairs to equipment, etc., three hundred (300) dollars. Bureau of Surveys: From Item 1 (a), salaries, one hundred and thirty (130) dollars; from Item 5, salaries, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; from Item 7, salaries, three thousand six hundred

and forty-two (3,642) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; from Item 10, salaries, twenty (20) dollars; from Item 12, salaries, eight hundred (800) dollars; from Item 16, salaries, twenty-five (25) dollars; from Item 14 (b), repairs to old sewers, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars; from Item 17 (a), salaries, one thousand six hundred and twenty-five (1,625) dollars; from Item 19, construction of sewers, etc., Wardens Drive, four thousand six hundred and seventy-one (4,671) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; from Item 21, sewage disposal station, etc., nine thousand two hundred and ninety-six (9,296) dollars and twelve (12) cents. Bureau of Water: From Item 5, salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 6, salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 8 (a), salaries, one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 9 (b), nine hundred (900) dollars; from Item 10, salaries, sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars; from Item 12 (a), salaries, three thousand (3,000) dollars; from Item 12 (b), wages, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars; from Item 14 (a), salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 17 (a), salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Bureau of City Property: From Item 1 (a), salaries, seven hundred (700) dollars; from Item 3 (d), taxes, Lazaretto, eighteen (18) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; from Item 6, transportation, etc., twenty-nine (29) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; from Item 7 (a), salaries, nine hundred and sixty (960) dollars; from Item 8 (a), removal of ashes, etc., one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars; from Item 9, uniforms, forty (40) dollars; from Item 11 (f), repairs to market houses, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 11 (j), repairs, etc., one thousand six hundred and two (1,602) dollars and forty (40) cents; from Item 11 (m), general improvement, Torresdale Park, one hundred and thirty-five (135) dollars; from Item 12 (a), salaries, one thousand two hundred and ninety-eight (1,298) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; from Item 12 (b), Municipal Band, eighty-four (84) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; from Item 12 (c), Philadelphia Band, twenty-eight (28) dollars and fifty (50) cents; from Item 14, uniforms, forty (40) dollars; from

Item 15 (f), water rent, seventy-five (75) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Health: From Item 4, salaries, one hundred (100) dollars; from Item 5 (a), board of horses, etc., three hundred and forty-four (344) dollars; from Item 7 (a), salaries, two thousand two hundred (2,200) dollars; from Item 9, salaries, one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 11 (a), salaries, four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 14, salaries, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 16 (a), salaries, seven hundred (700) dollars. Bureau of Charities: From Item 21 (a), salaries, nine hundred (900) dollars. Department of City Transit: From Item 5, reports, maps, etc., two hundred and sixty-seven (267) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents. Department of Supplies: From Item 1 (a), salaries, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; (Electrical): From Item 40, furniture, etc., six hundred (600) dollars; (Steam Engines and Boiler Inspection): From Item 48, printing, etc., one hundred (100) dollars. Mayor, Free Library: From Item 10 (b), rents, one hundred and fifteen (115) dollars and four (4) cents; from Item 10 (d), electricity, one thousand two hundred and sixty-five (1,265) dollars. City Controller: From Item 1 (a), salaries, two hundred and eight (208) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; from Item 1 (b), wages, five hundred and ninety-five (595) dollars and eighty (80) cents; from Item 3 (b), printing, etc., two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 4 (a), salaries, two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; from Item 6 (a), salaries, one hundred and ninety-four (194) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; from Item 6 (b), salaries, five (5) dollars; from Item 7 (a), binding records, seven (7) dollars. Coroner: From Item 1 (a), salaries, two hundred and thirteen (213) dollars. Clerks of Councils: From Item 2 (d), meals, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; from Item 2 (h), advertising loans, etc., seven hundred (700) dollars; from Item 5 (a), celebrating Independence Day, seven hundred and twenty-six (726) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents. District Attorney: From Item 1 (d), witness fees, one thousand five hundred

(1,500) dollars. Commissioners of Fairmount Park: From Item 5 (a), salaries, six hundred (600) dollars. Receiver of Taxes: From Item 2 (c), preparing duplicate copies, etc., fifty (50) dollars; from Item 3 (a), transportation, etc., three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 3 (d), printing poll tax receipts, etc., four hundred (400) dollars. City Treasurer: From Item 4 (c), sinking fund on new loans, seventeen thousand three hundred and sixty-six (17,366) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents.

To the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 3. Wages of men employed as quarantine guards, five hundred and fifty-five dollars and twenty-five cents	\$555 25
Item 4 (c). Expenses of office and station houses, five hundred and fifty-four dollars and thirty-seven cents.....	554 37
Item 27. Expense of annual parade, one thousand two hundred dollars	1,200

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 19. Wages (streets and roads), six thousand dollars	\$6,000
Item 30. Wages (repairing bridges), one thousand two hundred dollars	1,200
Item 32. Wages (entomology division), two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars...	2,250

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 11 (f). Uniforms, four hundred dollars	\$400 00
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BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 12 (a). Extra laborers in squares, one thousand five hundred dollars 1,500

Provided, That wages may be paid from this item dating November 17, 1916.

MAYOR

FREE LIBRARY.

Item 10 (e). General expenses, eighty dollars and four cents \$80 04

Item 10 (g). Books, one thousand three hundred dollars 1,300

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 1 (b). Overtime work, etc., at election time, one hundred and twenty-six dollars and four cents..... \$126 04

Item 16 (c). Extra clerk hire, etc., Registration Commissioners, three thousand one hundred dollars 3,100

CITY CONTROLLER.

Item 3 (a). Stationery, etc., one thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars and twelve cents..... \$1,436 12

CLERKS OF COUNCILS

Item 2 (e). Communication service, two hundred dollars..... \$200

Item 2 (g). Printing and binding Manual of Councils, for use in public schools, three hundred and fifty dollars 350

Provided, This amount shall not merge December 31, 1916.

Item 4. Repairs to furniture, three hundred dollars 300

Item 5 (f). Care and maintenance, etc., nine hundred and twenty-six dollars and eighty-three cents	926 83
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COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK.

Item 3. Stationery, printing, etc., five hundred dollars.....	\$500
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CITY TREASURER

Item 3 (c). Special and miscellaneous, two hundred dollars	\$200
Item 4 (e). Interest on new loans, one hundred and twenty-five thousand five hundred and fifty dollars and sixty-three cents.....	125,550 63

APPENDIX No. 226

Philadelphia, November 27, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred “A Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Chas. Seger, E. Buchholz, H. J. Trainer, W. D. Bacon, William H. Quigley, Wm. E. Finley.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to apply the surplus accumulated in the fund through a period of years to the payment of certain obligations maturing during the year 1917, viz.: Redemption of non-sinking fund bonds, as follows: 18th series "R" of \$4,600,000 loan authorized April 1, 1890, due November 1, 1917, two hundred and thirty thousand (230,000) dollars; 16th series "P" of \$1,000,000 loan authorized September 16, 1892, due December 31, 1917, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; 15th series "O" of \$3,500,000 loan authorized February 6, 1893, due December 31, 1917, one hundred and seventy-five thousand (175,000) dollars; 14th series "N" of \$1,100,000 loan authorized April 3, 1894, due December 31, 1917, fifty-five thousand (55,000) dollars; 14th series "N" of \$3,000,000 loan authorized April 3, 1894, due December 31, 1917, one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) dollars; 14th series "N" of \$2,720,000 loan (refunding) authorized November 8, 1894, due December 31, 1917, one hundred and thirty-six thousand (136,000) dollars; 13th series "M" of \$1,200,000 loan authorized June 18, 1895, due December 31, 1917, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars; 13th series "M" of \$1,200,000 refunding loan of September 16, 1895, due December 31, 1917, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars; 13th series "M" of \$1,000,000 refunding loan of December 10, 1895, due December 31, 1917, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; total, nine hundred and sixty-six thousand (966,000) dollars. Interest on non-sinking fund bonds, as follows: Due May 1, 1917, ten thousand three hundred and fifty (10,350) dollars; due July 1, 1917, eighty-seven thousand and thirty-nine (87,039) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; due

November 1, 1917, ten thousand three hundred and fifty (10,350) dollars; due January 1, 1918, eighty-seven thousand and thirty-nine (87,039) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; total, one hundred and ninety-four thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight (194,778) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; and balance of said surplus, two hundred and two thousand three hundred and eighty-eight (202,388) dollars and seven (7) cents, toward the payment of State tax on City loans.

APPENDIX No. 227.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit The Ross Tacony Crucible Company to lay a temporary drain in Robbins street, from a point about two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Milnor street to sewer in Milnor street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit The Ross Tacony Crucible Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Robbins street, from a point about two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Milnor street to sewer in Milnor street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 228

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Lazar to lay a temporary drain in Schiller street, between Edgemont and Thompson streets.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Henry Lazar to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Schiller street, between Edgemont and Thompson streets. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 229.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Committee of five members to investigate how the Police Beneficiary Association is identified with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh.

WHEREAS, It has come to my attention that several thousand members of the Philadelphia Police Force, who are members of the Police Beneficiary Association, are insured through that organization with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh;

AND WHEREAS, It has been reported that this Insurance Company is faced with a capital impairment of more than one million (1,000,000) dollars;

AND WHEREAS, I have been informed that none of the policemen insured through the Police Beneficiary Association themselves pay premiums to the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, but that the premiums are being paid by some unidentified "philanthropist,"

AND WHEREAS, I learn that policies are issued on these policemen without their having to undergo the usual formality of a physical examination; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Committee of five members, three from Select Council and two from Common Council, be appointed to investigate just how the Police Beneficiary Association is identified with the Pension Mutual Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, who pays these premiums on the lives of policemen who don't pay, and who gets the money when one of them dies; in other words, to find out who is making money out of the deaths of Philadelphia's policemen.

APPENDIX No. 230.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, November 29, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I am informed that your Honorable Bodies have made no provision in the annual appropriation ordinance for 1917 to the Department of City Treasurer for sinking fund on loans to be sold during 1917, for which purpose the City Treasurer requested \$1,166,658.25, in accordance with the Sinking Fund Commission's certificate of the amount required based upon the estimates of the various Departments and Bureaus of expenditures made and to be made by them. I am in receipt of an opinion of the City Solicitor that where authorized loans are "appropriated or used or spent" it is equivalent to an issue or increase of indebtedness, and the sinking fund provision therefor must be made in the following year. All the loans included in the calculation of \$1,166,658.25 (above referred to) have been appropriated, and to date considerable portions have been spent out of other loan moneys (by authority of Consolidated Loan Act of 1915) for account of these loans and still further portions thereof are under contract. The fact that they have been appropriated in 1916 requires, by the terms of the City Solicitor's letter, that sinking funds be provided in 1917 for them. I, therefore, desire to bring this matter to your attention, that you may take action in conformity with above opinion.

The above amount required in 1917 for sinking fund on new loans is four or five times the usual amount; the reason being that your Honorable Bodies made the \$4,974,203 loan of June 29, 1916, a five year loan, whereas all other loans have been thirty year loans. This loan has at present a large debtor balance to the Consolidated Loan Fund, and as it is for payment of deficiency bills for supplies furnished in the year 1915, and current main-

tenance of various Departments and Bureaus for 1916. including large appropriations for salaries and wages of police, fire and other employees, practically all of it will be spent by the close of 1916. As shown in my Budget Statement of October 2, 1916 (page 5), "the annual sinking fund and interest charges, upon this five year loan amount to \$1,117,955.91, whereas, on a thirty year loan they would be only \$294,008.82." The sinking fund requirements, exclusive of interest, on a five year loan are 19 per cent. and on a thirty year loan are less than 2 per cent. annually. The annual sinking fund requirements of a five year loan, exclusive of interest, therefore, are ten times those of a thirty year loan.

I desire to further call your attention to the City Solicitor's opinion to the Sinking Fund Commission dated November 22, 1916, relative to the desire of City Councils to use a portion of the sinking fund reserve for general fund purposes. This opinion states that it "is within the discretionary powers vested in the Sinking Fund Commission, and it is not within the power of Councils to require the diversion of this fund for the purpose of meeting the annual exigencies of the City government, or for any other purpose, unless the judgment of the Sinking Fund Commissioners shall coincide in the wisdom and safety of such a policy, either in whole or in part. With this qualification, and insofar as such a resolution of Councils, if one shall be passed by them, may secure the approval of yourselves as to the proposed use of all or of a portion of the surplus, I would say that in my opinion it would not be unlawful for you to consent thereto. But it must be understood that no such measure can be carried into effect without your consent." If your Honorable Bodies pass a resolution relative to the surplus reserve of the sinking fund as above referred to, it can be brought before the Sinking Fund Commission at their meeting on Monday next for consideration.

Very truly yours,

JNO. M. WALTON,
City Controller.

APPENDIX No. 231.

Philadelphia, November 28, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), William H. Quigley, H. J. Trainer, Wm. D. Bacon, Wm. E. Finley, Robert Smith, Morris E. Conn, John H. Baizley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., William J. McCloskey, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, Bernard J. McGuigan, C. J. McKinney, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, Chas. Seger, E. Buchholz.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers of certain loan funds in the annual appropriations for the year 1916:

Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police: From Item 3 (200 loan), salaries, eight thousand (8,000) dollars; from Item 26 (200) loan, purchase of motoreycles,

traffic guides, etc., one thousand nine hundred and ninety (1,990) dollars. Bureau of Fire: From Item 5 (200 loan), salaries, ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property: From Item 6 (200 loan), transportation, storage, etc., three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 11 (a) (200 loan), repairs, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 15 (e) (200 loan), manuring, etc., six hundred and twenty-five (625) dollars. Bureau of Water: From Item 14 (b) (200 loan), wages, nine thousand five hundred (9,500) dollars; from Item 16 (b) (200 loan), wages, five hundred (500) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Health: From Item 19 (e) (200 loan), gardening, one thousand (1,000) dollars. Department of Supplies (Charities): From Item 16 (200 loan), fuel, etc., nine thousand (9,000) dollars. (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): From Item 4 (200 loan), salaries, one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Electrical): From Item 37 (200 loan), fuel, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; from Item 39 (200 loan), lumber, etc., twenty-one thousand one hundred and twenty-one (21,121) dollars and seven (7) cents; from Item 40 (200 loan), furniture, etc., one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars. (Correction): From Item 17 (200 loan), flour, groceries, etc., eighteen thousand five hundred (18,500) dollars. Commissioners of Fairmount Park: From Item 7 (e) (200 loan), oil and gasoline, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. Receiver of Taxes: From Item 4 (200 loan), miscellaneous, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 7 (b) (200 loan), miscellaneous, three hundred (300) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 5 (c) (200 loan), jurors' fees, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; from Item 6 (j) (200 loan), miscellaneous, two hundred and thirty-six (236) dollars and seven (7) cents; from Item 14 (200 loan), salaries, eight hundred and eight (808) dollars and fifty (50) cents; from Item 16 (b) (200 loan), election division registrars, etc., one thousand three hundred and twenty (1,320) dollars; from Item 17 (a) (200 loan), automobile hire, etc., eighteen (18) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; from Item 17 (e) (200 loan),

general printing, six hundred and eighty-five (685) dollars; from Item 24 (a) (200 loan), salaries, ten (10) dollars; from Item 27 (200 loan), rent of rooms, etc., ten (10) dollars; from Item 32 (e) (200 loan), support of children, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars: To the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 6 (c) (200 loan). Repairs to harness, seven hundred and fifty dollars	\$750
Item 9 (b) (200 loan). Communication serv- ice, four hundred dollars	400

BUREAU OF FIRE.

Item 11 (b) (200 loan). Repairs to appa- ratus, one thousand five hundred dollars..	\$1,500
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

Item 200 loan. To pay bill of Philadel- phia Item for advertising in 1913, five dol- lars and twenty-five cents	\$5 25
Item 9 (200 loan). Miscellaneous expenses of Zoning Commission, one thousand dollars	1,000

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Item 6 (b) (200 loan). To pay bill of Philadelphia Record, for advertising dur- ing April, 1915, twenty-one dollars and seventy-five cents	\$21 75
Item 6 (c) (200 loan). To pay bill of R. Pond, for legal services, twenty-five dollars	25
Item 30 (200 loan). Wages (repairing bridges), one thousand two hundred dollars	1,200

Item 45 (200 loan). Contractors' liability fund, one thousand four hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty-one cents 1,433 21

Item 200 loan. To reimburse Union Paving Company, for bituminous concrete paving laid in Section 9, Bensalem test road, one thousand five hundred and ninety-five dollars and ninety-two cents; to pay bill of Union Paving Company in lieu of old granite blocks which were to have been furnished in connection with the repaving of Spring Garden street, from Sixth to Ninth street, one thousand five hundred dollars; to reimburse Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company for payment of City's share in cost of cleaning pond on property of John T. Morris, at Hillcrest and Norwood avenues, Chestnut Hill, from 1907 to 1915, inclusive, as per agreement and certified bills on file, seven hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty-seven cents: total, three thousand eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and forty-nine cents 3,852 49

And the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for said amounts in favor of said companies.

Item 54 (200 loan). To pay certain bills as follows: Philadelphia Record, thirty-three dollars and twenty-five cents; William G. Gross, rent of storeyard, sixty dollars; Barber Asphalt Company, legal expenses incurred on contract for paving Twenty-seventh street, from Morris to Moore street, forty-two dollars; Barber Asphalt Company, hire of roller, December, 1915, eighty-one dollars; Union Paving Company, excess work on contract for paving Cobbs Creek Parkway, from Hoffman to Thole street, thirty-seven dollars and twenty-one

cents; James A. Mullin, excess work on contract for grading Cobbs Creek Parkway, from Larchwood avenue to Spruce street, three hundred and one dollars and forty-three cents; William H. Radford, hire of gasoline engine and pump for dredging operation at Cannon Ball Farm, sixty-two dollars and fifty cents; Atlantic Refining Company, asphalt, five hundred and twenty-four dollars and seventy-eight cents; Estate of David McMahon, cleaning streets in vicinity of circus ground, Nineteenth and Hunting Park avenue, fifty dollars; to pay bills for removal of snow, as follows: McNichol Paving and Construction Company, two hundred and forty-two dollars and thirty-six cents; Joseph Gonelli, fifty dollars; P. C. Eisele, two hundred and nineteen dollars and forty-five cents; David Duffin, fourteen dollars; J. Joseph McHugh, fifteen dollars and fifty-one cents; H. C. Ambler, seventeen dollars and fifty cents; Joseph Cosenza, wages due for labor, twelve dollars; Union Paving Company, excess work on patching contract, one hundred and eight dollars and twenty-nine cents; Barber Asphalt Paving Company, excess work on contract, Twenty-sixth street, Tasker to Moore street, eight hundred and eighty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents; Barber Asphalt Paving Company, excess work on contract, Moore street, Twenty-sixth to Twenty-eighth street, nine hundred and twenty-two dollars and twenty-three cents; Atlantic Refining Company, bituminous material, eighty-four dollars and fifteen cents; William H. Radford, hire of dredge for raising embankment around Cannon Ball Farm, three hundred and twenty-five dollars and fifty cents; Dando

Printing and Publishing Company, poster stamps for "Clean-up Week," forty-nine dollars and fifteen cents; Eastern Paving Company, repairing roadway on Logan street, from intersection of Stenton avenue, westward, one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixteen cents; total, four thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and seventy-four cents 4,253 74

BUREAU OF SURVEYS.

Item 3 (a) (200 loan). Pamphlets, etc., three hundred dollars \$300
 Item 5 (b) (200 loan). Clerk hire, five hundred dollars..... 500
 Item 6 (200 loan). Recording deeds, three hundred dollars..... 300

BUREAU OF WATER.

Item 8 (b) (200 loan). Wages, ten thousand dollars..... \$10,000

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

Item 11 (b) (200 loan). Miscellaneous hauling, to pay bill of Thomas L. Smith, for hauling chairs from Convention Hall, one hundred and forty-nine dollars..... 149

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

Item 2 (a) (200 loan). Transportation, etc., two hundred and fifty dollars..... \$250
 Item 2 (b) (200 loan). Maintenance of automobile, etc., five hundred dollars..... 500

BUREAU OF HEALTH.

Item 2 (c) (200 loan). Miscellaneous, two hundred dollars.....	200
Item 2 (d) (200 loan). Fees for expert services, two hundred dollars.....	200

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 2 (b) (200 loan). Special and miscellaneous, nine hundred dollars.....	900
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DEPARTMENT OF CITY TRANSIT.

Item 2 (200 loan). To pay bill of William H. Kensil, for badges for officers and engineers, thirty-six dollars, and George H. Buchanan, printing, two hundred and thirty-one dollars and fifty-five cents; total, two hundred and sixty-seven dollars and fifty-five cents.....	267 55
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Item 2 (200 loan). Transportation, etc., one thousand five hundred dollars.....	\$1,500
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(PUBLIC SAFETY, DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.)

Item 4 (200 loan). Furniture, etc., two hundred and fifty dollars.....	250
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(BOILER INSPECTION.)

Item 49 (200 loan). Stationery, one hundred dollars.....	100
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CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item 6 (s) (200 loan). To purchase coal for Juvenile and Misdemeanants' Court buildings, Municipal Court, two hundred and fifty dollars	\$250
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Item 15 (200 loan). Printing assessors' lists for December, five hundred and fifty-eight dollars and thirty cents.....	558 30
Item 17 (b) (200 loan). To pay bill of Dunlap Printing Company, for printing fall registration street lists for additional divisions, four hundred and twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents.....	427 60
Item 25 (b) (200 loan). To pay bill of Dunlap Printing Company, for additional printing at general election, five thousand seven hundred and thirteen dollars and forty-one cents.....	5,713 41
Item 26 (200 loan). To pay bill of Albert Anderman for stationery for general election, one hundred and forty-two dollars and sixty cents.....	142 60

CLERKS OF COUNCILS.

Item 6 (200 loan). Miscellaneous expenses, out of which shall be paid bill of \$500 for clerical and stenographic services rendered to the Joint Special Committee on Water Rates, and bill of Dunlap Printing Company, three thousand four hundred and fifty-six dollars and ninety-five cents, for printing, binding, etc., appropriation schedules for Committee of Finance and the members of Select and Common Councils, five thousand dollars	\$5,000
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CORONER.

Item 3 (a) (200 loan). Stationery, etc., two hundred and thirteen dollars.....	\$213
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COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK.

Item 5 (b) (200 loan). Labor, etc., fifty-seven thousand five hundred and eighty-six dollars and twelve cents.....	\$57,586 12
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RECEIVER OF TAXES.

Item 2 (b) (200 loan). Extra help, one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars. . . .	\$1,550
Item 13 (b) (200 loan). To refund taxes, for the year 1916, on property situate northwest corner Lawrence and Spruce streets, and used continuously for religious purposes, but title to which was temporarily in the name of a building and loan association, five hundred and twenty-five dollars.	525

APPENDIX No. 232.

Philadelphia, December 1, 1916.

DR. EDWARD B. GLEASON,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Agreeably to Section 3 of ordinance of Councils approved the 16th day of March, 1872, we have the honor to submit a report showing the aggregates of City loans on which interest is paid by the City and also a statement of the semi-annual interest due January 1, 1917, as it stands on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank on December 1, 1916.

Very truly yours,

GEO. H. MILLETT,
Asst. Cashier.

Report showing the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan, Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan and Three Per Cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on December 1, 1916, interest due and payable January 1, 1917.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans	
Total of loans held by general holders, registered June 1, 1916-----	\$48 607 200 00	\$20 374 800 00	\$5 000 00	\$1 000 00	\$8 900 600 00	
Total of loans held by sinking funds, registered June 1, 1916-----	15 814 300 00	5 873 700 00	—	—	533 000 00	
Add new loan of May 6, 1915, due July, 1946, registered-----	\$64 421 500 00	\$36 248 500 00	\$5 000 00	\$1 000 00	\$9 433 600 00	
Add new loan of June 30, 1915, due July, 1946, registered-----	2 000 000 00					
Add coupon bonds converted into regis- tered loan-----	1 259 200 00					
	100 00	9 000 00				
Add coupon bonds-----	\$67 680 800 00	\$36 257 500 00				
	13 378 100 00	1 493 000 00				
Add new coupon bonds loan of June 30, 1915, due July, 1946-----	1 740 800 00					
Add coupon bonds registered as to prin- cipal -----	—	91 000 00				
	\$82 799 700 00	\$27 841 500 00	\$5 000 00	\$1 000 00	\$9 433 600 00	

Report showing the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, December 1, 1916—Continued.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans	
RECAPITULATION.						
Four per cent. loans-----	\$82 799 700 00					
Three and one-half per cent. loans-----	37 841 500 00					
Three and one-quarter per cent. loan-----	5 000 00					
Three and one-eighth per cent. loan-----	1 000 00					
Three per cent. loans-----	9 433 600 00					
	\$130 080 800 00					
Unregistered loans, on which no appro- priation for interest is asked, as per ordinance of Councils, approved June 16, 1889:						
Six per cent. loans—untaxed-----	\$31 800 00	Unregistered matured loan, undrawn and canceled by decision of the City Solicitor by reason of limitation, being overdue for a period exceeding twenty-one years.				
Six per cent. loans—taxed-----	7 550 00					
Five per cent. loans—taxed-----	1 170 00					
	\$40 520 22					
In addition to the above there was sold \$10,000,000 of the 4 per cent. loan of June 29, 1916, as follows:						
30 year loan, due November 1, 1946:-----	\$7 500 000 00					
50 year loan, due November 1, 1963:-----	2 500 000 00					
First interest being for 8 months, due and payable July 1, 1917.						

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, LOAN AND TRANSFER AGENT OF THE CITY,
Philadelphia, December 1, 1916.
GEO. H. MILLETT, Assistant Cashier.

Report of the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan, Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan and Three Per Cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on December 1, 1916.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans	
Aggregates of the three per cent. loans, June 1, 1916.	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$0 433 600 00	
Aggregates of the three per cent. loans, December 1, 1916.	—	—	—	—	—	—	9 433 600 00	
Aggregates of the three and one eighth per cent. loan, June 1, 1916	—	—	—	—	—	\$1 000 00		
Aggregates of the three and one eighth per cent. loan, December 1, 1916.	—	—	—	—	—	1 000 00		
Aggregates of the three and one quarter per cent. loan, June 1, 1916	—	—	—	—	\$5 000 00			
Aggregates of the three and one quarter per cent. loan, December 1, 1916.	—	—	—	—	5 000 00			
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loans, registered June 1, 1916.	—	—	—	\$36 248 500 00				
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon, June 1, 1916	—	—	—	1 502 000 00				
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon, registered as to principal June 1, 1916	—	—	—	91 000 00				
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loans, registered December 1, 1916.	—	—	—	\$37 841 500 00				
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon, December 1, 1916.	—	—	—	\$36 257 500 00				
	—	—	—	1 433 000 00				

Report of the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, December 1, 1916—Continued.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans
Aggregates of the three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon, registered as to principal December 1, 1916.-----	—	—	\$51 000 00	\$37 841 500 00			
Aggregates of the four per cent. loans, registered June 1, 1916.---	\$64 421 500 00						
Aggregates of the four per cent. loans, coupon, June 1, 1916.---	13 378 200 00	\$77 739 700 00					
Aggregates of the four per cent. loans, registered December 1, 1916.-----	\$67 680 800 00						
Aggregates of the four per cent. loan, coupon, December 1, 1916.---	15 118 900 00	82 799 700 00					
Increase		\$5 000 000 00					
Unregistered loans, on which no appropriation for interest is asked, as per ordinance of Councils approved June 16, 1885:-----	\$31 800 00	Unregistered matured loan, unclaimed and cancelled by decision of the City Solicitor by reason of limitation, being overdue for a period exceeding twenty-one years.					
Six per cent. loans—untaxed.-----	7 550 00						
Five per cent. loans—taxed.-----	1 170 22						
	\$40 520 22						
In addition to the above there was sold \$10,000.00 of the 4 per cent. loan of June 29, 1916, as follows:-----							
30 year loan, due Nov. 1, 1946.---	\$7 500 000 00						
50 year loan, due Nov. 1, 1966.---	2 500 000 00						
First interest being for 8 months, due and payable July 1, 1917.							

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, LOAN AND TRANSFER AGENT OF THE CITY,
GEO. H. MILLETT, Assistant Cashier.

Semi-annual Statement of Interest due January 1, 1917, on Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan, Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan, and Three Per Cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on December 1, 1916.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Interest of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Interest of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Three Per Cent. Loans
Four per cent. loans, registered	\$67 680 800 00	\$1 353 616 00								
Three and one-half per cent. loans, registered	—	—		\$634 546 25	\$5 000 00	\$81 25				
Three and one-quarter per cent. loan, registered	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$1 000 00	\$15 62		
Three and one-eighth per cent. loan, registered	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$9 433 600 00	\$141 504 00
Three per cent. loans, registered	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon	—	—	1 493 000 00	26 127 50						
Three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon, registered as to principal	—	—	91 000 00	1 592 50						
Four per cent. loans, coupon	15 118 900 00	302 378 00								
	\$82 799 700 00	\$1 655 994 00	\$37 841 500 00	\$662 226 25	\$5 000 00	\$81 25	\$1 000 00	\$15 62	\$9 433 600 00	\$141 504 00
	Principal		Interest							
Four per cent. loans, registered			\$1 353 616 00							
Three and one-half per cent. loans, registered	\$67 680 800 00	—	634 546 25							
Three and one-quarter per cent. loan, registered	36 257 500 00	—	81 25							
Three and one-eighth per cent. loan, registered	5 000 00	—	15 62							
Three per cent. loans, registered	1 000 00	—	141 504 00							
	9 433 600 00	—								
	\$113 377 900 00	—	\$2 129 723 12							

RECAPITULATION.

Semi-annual Statement of Interest due January 1, 1917, on Four Per Cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on December 1, 1916—Continued.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Four Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Three and One-half Per Cent. Loans	Principal of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Interest of Three and One-quarter Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Interest of Three and One-eighth Per Cent. Loan	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans	Interest of Three Per Cent. Loans
Three and one-half per cent. loan, coupon.....	\$1 584 000 00	—	\$27 720 00							
Four per cent. loans, coupon	15 118 900 00	—	392 378 00							
Unregistered loans, on which no appropriation for inter- est is asked, as per ordi- nance of Councils approved June 16, 1885:	\$130 680 800 00	—	\$2 450 821 12							
Six per cent. loans—untaxed	\$31 800 00	{ Unregistered matured loan, unclaimed and cancelled by decision of the City Solicitor by reason of limitation, being overdue for a period exceeding twenty-one years.								
Six per cent. loans—taxed—	7 550 00									
Five per cent. loans—taxed—	1 170 22									
In addition to the above there was sold \$10,000,000 of the 4 per cent. loan, due June 29, 1916, as fol- lows:	\$40 520 22									
30 year loan, due Nov. 1, 1946	\$7 540 000 00									
50 year loan, due Nov. 1, 1966	2 500 000 00									
First interest being for 8 months, due and payable July 1, 1917.										

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, LOAN AND TRANSFER AGENT OF THE CITY,
Philadelphia, December 1, 1916.

GEO. H. MILLETT, Assistant Cashier.

APPENDIX No. 233.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In response to resolution of the Select and Common Councils of November 29, 1916, entitled

“Resolution of request to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to apply the surplus of excess appropriations now held by them to pay Sinking Fund and interest charges falling due in 1917.”

I take pleasure in forwarding to your Honorable Bodies, herewith, a copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a stated meeting held on Monday, December 4, 1916.

Very truly yours,

JNO. M. WALTON,

Commissioner of the Sinking Fund.

WHEREAS, It has been represented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund that the income from general taxation and miscellaneous sources in 1917 will be insufficient to meet necessary expenditures from the general fund;

AND WHEREAS, A resolution has been passed by City Councils November 29, 1916, requesting the Sinking Fund Commission to pay the principal and interest of the non-sinking fund debt falling due in 1917, together with a portion of the 1917 State tax on City loans, from sinking funds carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund Commission as a reserve, it is, therefore, hereby

Resolved, To pay the principal of the non-sinking fund serial loans maturing in 1917 to the amount of nine hun-

dred and sixty-six thousand (966,000) dollars, and also the interest upon such loans falling due, as follows:

May 1, 1917	\$10,350 00
July 1, 1917	87,039 38
November 1, 1917	10,350 00
January 1, 1918	87,039 37

Total interest for year\$194,778 75

from sinking fund moneys carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund Commission as a reserve; contingent, however, upon City Councils appropriating a sufficient sum for sinking fund on new loans to be issued during 1917 to provide adequate sinking funds for such part of those loans as are appropriated, or used or expended prior to December 31, 1916, in accordance with opinion of City Solicitor of November 27, 1916; and it is hereby further

Resolved, That upon legal advice the portion of request of City Councils, relating to payment of State tax on City loans out of sinking funds, cannot be granted.

APPENDIX No. 234.

Philadelphia, December 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the various Departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for the year 1917,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter,

T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the various departments of the City and County of Philadelphia for the year 1917.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of thirty-six million eight hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred and nineteen (36,822,519) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various departments of the City and County of Philadelphia, for the year 1917, as follows:

CITY CONTROLLER

SECT. 2. The sum of one hundred and ten thousand one hundred and seventy (110,170) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of City Controller, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$88,970
1. City controller	1 at \$8,000
2. Deputy controller	1 at 3,500
3. Messenger and clerk	1 at 1,350
4. Stenographer and type-writer	1 at 1,200
5. Custodian of records	1 at 1,000
6. Record filing clerk	1 at 1,000
7. Janitor	1 at 720
8. Janitor	1 at 600
9. Chief accountant	1 at 3,500
10. Bookkeeper	1 at 2,500
11. Examiner of accounts	2 at 2,000
12. Registrar of appropriations.	1 at 1,800
13. Registrar of contracts	1 at 1,800
14. General ledger clerk	1 at 1,500
15. Accounting clerk	1 at 1,800
16. Registrar of bills	3 at 1,350
17. Return clerk	1 at 1,350
18. Registrar of warrants	1 at 1,200

19. Property clerk	1 at 1,200
20. Expenditure analysis clerk..	1 at 1,200
21. Miscellaneous clerk	1 at 900
22. Chief auditor of receipts...	1 at 3,000
23. Chief tax auditor	1 at 2,000
24. General auditor	1 at 2,000
25. Tax auditor	7 at 1,500
26. Water auditor.....	7 at 1,350
27. Gas auditor	1 at 1,000
28. Miscellaneous auditor	1 at 1,500
29. Chief department auditor..	1 at 2,000
30. Department auditor	7 at 1,500
31. Warrant delivery clerk	1 at 1,500
32. Assistant warrant delivery clerk and miscellaneous clerk	1 at 1,350
A2. Personal services: temporary clerk, in- dexing records, wages	1,000
1. Meals for employees on account of over- time work	1,000
2. Special, miscellaneous and communica- tion service	1,000
3. Stationery, printing, office supplies, equipment and incidental expenses...	8,000
4. Printing and binding city warrants for the several departments: (<i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller shall not be required to advertise for the printing and binding of warrants)	2,200
5. Printing the annual report of the City Controller and preparing the annual statement for the Finance Committee	2,600
6. Preparation of the monthly statement for the Finance Committee (including rental of tabulating machines, etc.)..	2,000
7. Preparation of registers of delinquent taxes—expense of	500
8. Binding records	400
9. Stationery, printing and miscellaneous * expenses—Municipal Pension Board..	2,500

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

SECT. 3. The sum of one hundred and eighty-one thousand seven hundred and ninety (181,790) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Law, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed\$146,490

1. City solicitor	1	at	\$10,000
2. First assistant	1	at	6,000
3. Assistant	1	at	5,000
4. Assistant	5	at	4,000
5. Assistant	8	at	3,000
6. Assistant	2	at	2,500
7. Assistant	5	at	2,400
8. Assistant	3	at	2,000
9. Assistant	3	at	1,800
10. Assistant	6	at	1,500
11. Cashier	1	at	1,800
12. Confidential clerk	1	at	1,500
13. Clerk	1	at	1,500
14. Stenographer	2	at	1,500
15. Clerk	4	at	1,400
16. Stenographer or clerk.....	5	at	1,250
17. Clerk	7	at	1,200
18. Clerk	5	at	1,000
19. Writ server	2	at	1,000
20. Telephone operator	1	at	1,000
21. Messenger	2	at	1,000
22. Custodian	1	at	1,000
23. Clerk	2	at	900
24. Librarian	1	at	900
25. Special evidence agent	1	at	1,500
26. Cleaner	2	at	420

Provided, That no assistant, or assistants, nor any member of a law firm with which any assistant or assistants may be associated in the practice of law, or otherwise, shall be employed, engaged, or render service or services as counsel or attorney against the City and County of Philadelphia, or any Department or Bureau thereof, directly or indirectly, may be a party, either in a civil or criminal case, under penalty of immediate dismissal.

A2. Witness fees 2,000

A3. Expert service 15,000

1.	Prothonotary's costs, magistrates' costs and expenses of City cases	1,500
2.	Expenses for conveyancing	500
3.	Advertising, affidavits, postage, serving notices and blue prints	8,000
4.	Stationery, printing, paper books, ice, cleaning supplies, furniture, office furnishings, equipment, etc.	6,000
5.	Law books	500
6.	Telephone exchange service	800
7.	Alterations, repairs, improvements, etc..	500
8.	Miscellaneous supplies	500

CITY COMMISSIONERS

SECT. 4. The sum of two million three hundred and thirty-three thousand two hundred and sixteen (2,333,216) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of City Commissioners, as follows:

CITY COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$145,110
1.	City commissioner.....	3 at \$5,000
2.	Chief clerk	1 at 2,500
3.	Superintendent of elections	1 at 2,500
4.	Election clerk.....	1 at 1,600
5.	Election clerk.....	1 at 1,250
6.	Election clerk.....	1 at 1,200
7.	Warrant clerk.....	1 at 1,500
8.	Miscellaneous clerk.....	2 at 1,000
9.	Miscellaneous clerk.....	2 at 900
10.	Children's agent and investigator	6 at 1,500
11.	Supervising investigator..	1 at 1,800
12.	Custodian and messenger.	1 at 720
13.	Registration commissioner	4 at 3,000
14.	Recorder	1 at 2,500
15.	Stenographer and clerk..	1 at 1,500
16.	Clerk	1 at 1,200
17.	Custodian of records.....	1 at 1,200

18. Messenger	1 at	840
19. Attorney for registration commissioners	1 at	1,000
20. Magistrate	28 at	3,000
A2. Personal services: attorney for city com- missioners		2,000
A3. Personal services: overtime work and specially engaged men at election time		2,000
A4. Personal services: per diem clerks regu- larly employed, 8 at \$4 per diem....		8,764
A5. Personal services: extra clerk hire.....		8,540

Provided, That the City Commissioners may, at their discretion, assign any of the foregoing employees to primary election work, and draw warrants in payment of their salaries, while so employed, against the item for primary election account, and the City Controller is authorized to countersign warrants so drawn.

Provided, That when any of the foregoing employees are assigned to extra or overtime work in connection with elections, warrants for their pay, while so employed, may be drawn against the item for primary election account.

A6. Personal services: assessors of voters...	110,550
1. Assessors for September, 1,340 divisions, at \$44 each.	
2. Assessors for December, 1,340 divisions, at \$38.50 each.	
A7. Personal services: election division registrars, 4 at \$10 per diem, for three days, in 1,340 divisions.....	160,800
A8. Personal services: primary election offi- cers, as listed.....	46,900
1. Judge of election, 1 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$15 each.	
2. Inspector of election, 2 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$5 each.	
3. Clerk of election, 2 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$5 each.	

- A9. Personal services: extra clerk hire and overtime work for registration commissioners 11,500
- A10. Personal services: extra help on account of extra work required because of additional parties on ballot, primary election: (*Provided*, That any extra help that may be employed for primary election work shall be paid out of this item, and the City Controller is authorized to countersign warrants so drawn) 12,600
- A11. Personal services: general election officers, as listed 46,900
1. Judge of election, 1 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$15 each.
 2. Inspector of election, 2 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$5 each.
 3. Clerk of election, 2 to each division, 1,340 divisions, at \$5 each.
- A12. Personal services: extra clerks in computing and counting election returns 500
- Provided*, That the City Commissioners shall draw no warrants for the pay of assessors or election officers in any divisions unless said assessors or election officers shall have returned the election laws and Bibles in good order to the offices of said Commissioners, and the City Controller shall countersign no warrants for rent of rooms until he is satisfied that it is for the actual occupant of the premises at the time of the election.
1. Advertising 1,000
 2. Automobile hire, changing election booths, delivering ballot boxes 100
 3. Rent of rooms in which registrations are held, 1,340 divisions for 3 days, at \$5 per day 20,100
 4. Rent of rooms in which primary elections are held, 1,340 divisions, at \$25 each.. 33,500

5. Rent of rooms for general elections, 1,340 divisions, at \$25 per division.....	33,500
6. Communication service, meals, ice.....	1,000
7. Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions, supplies, equipment, etc.), not otherwise provided for	4,000
8. Contribution to Pennsylvania Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to Women's Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	2,500
9. Care of boys and girls committed to Glen Mills Schools	42,000
10. Keep of prisoners of Philadelphia County in the Eastern Penitentiary	37,000
11. Pennsylvania Reformatory for boys at Huntingdon	20,000
12. Maintenance of at least 30 blind men in Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia	5,000
13. Support of children committed by the Juvenile Court as charges upon the County	260,000
14. First Brigade headquarters	500
15. First Regiment, Companies A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J, K, L, M, headquarters, machine gun, supply, and band, 16 at \$500 each	8,000
16. Second Regiment, Companies A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J, K, L, M, and Band, 13 at \$500 each	6,500
17. Third Regiment, Companies A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J, K, L, M, headquarters, machine gun, supply, and band, 16 at \$500 each	8,000
18. Sixth Regiment, Companies E, K, L, M, headquarters, machine gun, supply, and band, 8 at \$500 each	4,000

19. Naval force of Pennsylvania, Companies A and B, 2 at \$500 each	1,000
20. State Fencibles, Battalion Companies A, B, C, D, and band, 5 at \$500 each	2,500
21. Engineer Battalion, Company B	500
22. Troops A, G, First City Troop, Second City Troop (First Squadron Cavalry), 4 at \$500 each	2,000
23. Expenses of the spring practice marches of Troop A and the Second City Troop, 2 at \$500 each	1,000

Provided, That the City Controller shall countersign no warrants for Items 14 to 23 in favor of the commanding officer of any company, unless it shall be certified to the City Controller by the Adjutant General of the State that the said company satisfactorily has passed the annual inspection provided by law.

Provided, however, That in the case of the companies of the Infantry Battalion, State Fencibles, the City Controller is authorized to accept the certificate of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and also certified by the commanding officer of each company, that the money appropriated in said item for said company has been used and expended solely for the support and maintenance, discipline and training of said company, for which he shall account by proper vouchers to the said City Controller.

Provided, That no appropriation shall be made for any subsequent year until the expenditures of the previous year have been duly and satisfactorily accounted for. *Provided, however*, That this will not apply to the Second Regiment Infantry, N. G. P., which by reason of being at present under arms along the Mexican border may be unable to qualify, and, *Provided further*, That the appropriation for

this Regiment for the year 1916 shall not merge December 31, 1916, but shall be available for collection by the different companies upon their return to Philadelphia.

24. Support and maintenance of the Old Guard of the Second Regiment Infantry, N. G. P., of Philadelphia	500
25. Support and maintenance of the Veteran Guard, Third Regiment Infantry, N. G. P., of Philadelphia	500
26. Support and maintenance, incidentals and other expenses, Old Guard, City of Philadelphia	1,500
27. Support and maintenance, Field Hospital No. 2, N. G. P.	500
28. Burial of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, at \$50 as maximum allowance: (<i>Provided</i> , That a certificate from the City Commissioners, properly signed by the commissioners appointed by them, shall be sufficient evidence of the payment of the same)	6,500
29. Philadelphia County Fair Association..	1,000
30. Printing assessors' lists: (<i>Provided</i> , That 150 copies of the September assessment of each division shall be printed in September: <i>Provided</i> , That the contractor be required to do the work in the City of Philadelphia: <i>Provided</i> , Contracts shall be awarded to contractors who pay the recognized rate of wages adopted by the Typographical Union)	21,842
31. General printing, Registration Commissioners	2,700
32. Printing official ballots, sample ballots, tally sheets, return sheets, statements, etc., for 1,340 divisions	90,000

33. Printing street lists	18,090
34. Printing books and blank cards for election officers, sample tickets for voters, assessors' books, printing and binding election tickets for each election division to be used for voting: (<i>Provided</i> , That instead of advertising the City Commissioners may ask for written proposals from not less than 3 responsible parties for the printing of election tickets and all necessary election papers: <i>Provided</i> , That work for printing shall be done in the City of Philadelphia and awarded only to contractors who pay the recognized rate of wages adopted by the Typographical Union)	40,000
35. New election booths	3,000
36. Postage	800
37. Furniture and furnishings	1,200
38. Stationery, ballot markers, rubber stamps, ink, other office supplies	2,000
39. Miscellaneous supplies not otherwise provided for	2,000

COURTS

A20. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	636,340
1. Officer of Courts of Common Pleas .....49 at \$2,000	
2. Officer of Orphans' Court.16 at 2,000	
3. Officer of Courts of Quarter Sessions.....36 at 2,000	
4. Officer of Municipal Court.46 at 2,000	
5. Crier of Courts of Quarter Sessions 1 at 2,500	
6. Crier of Courts of Quarter Sessions 2 at 2,250	
7. Crier of Municipal Court.. 2 at 2,250	
8. Clerk to Board of Jurors. 1 at 2,500	
9. Court stenographer.....22 at 2,500	

10. Probation officer for male convicts	1 at	2,200
11. Assistant probation officer	1 at	1,200
12. Probation officer for female convicts	1 at	1,500
13. Interpreter	11 at	2,000
14. Janitor, Common Pleas, 4 for Court No. 1, 4 for Court No. 2, 3 for Court No. 3, 2 for Court No. 4 and 3 for Court No. 5...	16 at	900
15. Janitor, Quarter Sessions.	12 at	900
16. Janitor, Orphans' Court...	3 at	720
17. Janitor, Supreme Court...	3 at	720
18. Janitor, Municipal Court...	12 at	720
19. Clerk, Municipal Court ...	1 at	2,500
20. Assistant clerk, Municipal Court	1 at	2,000
21. Clerk and messenger, Municipal Court.....	1 at	1,200
22. Chief probation officer, Municipal Court.....	1 at	3,000
23. Supervisor of probation officers, Municipal Court	1 at	2,500
24. Secretary, President Judge, Municipal Court.....	1 at	2,500
25. Probation officer, Municipal Court.....	2 at	2,000
26. Special agent, Municipal Court	1 at	2,000
27. Trial commissioner, Municipal Court.....	1 at	2,500
28. Investigator, Municipal Court	1 at	1,500
29. Complaint clerk, Municipal Court	1 at	1,500
30. Probation officer, Municipal Court	11 at	1,800
31. Probation officer, Municipal Court	12 at	1,500
32. Probation officer, Municipal Court	21 at	1,200
33. Probation officer, Municipal Court	12 at	1,020
34. Probation officer, Municipal Court	3 at	1,000
35. Probation officer, Municipal Court	38 at	900
36. Probation officer, Municipal Court	1 at	500
37. Stenographer, Municipal Court	2 at	1,500
38. Stenographer, Municipal Court	6 at	1,200
39. Stenographer, Municipal Court	10 at	1,020

40. Stenographer, Municipal Court	16 at	900
41. Stenographer, Municipal Court	10 at	600
42. Clerk, Municipal Court....	12 at	1,200
43. Clerk, Municipal Court....	5 at	1,020
44. Clerk, Municipal Court....	3 at	1,000
45. Clerk, Municipal Court....	3 at	900
46. Telephone operator, Municipal Court.....	1 at	600
47. Filing clerk, Municipal Court	2 at	900
48. Secretary, Municipal Court	1 at	1,020
49. Messenger, Municipal Court	1 at	720
A21. Personal services: jurors' fees, \$2.50 per day per juror		216,000
A22. Personal services: witness' fees, \$1.50 per day per witness		8,000
A23. Personal services: medical attendance, Municipal Court		3,000
50. Automobile hire for visits of Grand Jurors to institutions		600
51. Meals for jurors		1,000
52. Miscellaneous expenses for the Courts of Common Pleas, \$500 each; and for Courts of Quarter Sessions Nos. 1, 2 and 3, \$333.33 each; and Supreme Court, \$500		4,000
53. Expenses of probation (parole) officers of the Quarter Sessions Courts; parole officers for male convicts, \$400; and parole officer for female convicts, \$200		600
54. Fitting up rooms, probation officers, Quarter Sessions		200
55. Office rent and traveling and other expenses of probation officers and investigators, Juvenile Division, Municipal Court		8,000
56. Traveling and other expenses, officers of Domestic Relations and Criminal Branches, Municipal Court		8,000

57.	Communication service, Municipal Court	3,500
58.	Uniforms of officers and criers of Courts of Quarter Sessions, 39 at \$40 each; and of the Municipal Court, 15 at \$40 each	2,160
59.	Furniture, furnishings, other equipment, Municipal Court	12,000
60.	Printing and stationery, Municipal Court	6,000
61.	Printing annual report, Municipal Court	3,000
62.	Law books, Municipal Court	1,000
63.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc., not otherwise provided for	6,000

HOUSE OF DETENTION

A28.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	17,060
	1. Superintendent	1 at \$2,000
	2. Assistant superintendent..	1 at 1,200
	3. Clerk	2 at 600
	4. Engineer	1 at 780
	5. Assistant engineer.....	1 at 600
	6. Doorkeeper	1 at 540
	7. Janitor	1 at 720
	8. Guard	2 at 720
	9. Guard	5 at 600
	10. Housekeeper	1 at 480
	11. Maid	1 at 480
	12. Maid	4 at 400
	13. Cook	1 at 360
	14. Kitchen maid.....	1 at 240
	15. Psychiatrist and director.	1 at 600
	16. Medical examiner for boys	1 at 600
	17. Medical examiner for girls	1 at 300
	18. Mental examiner and child study expert.....	1 at 920
70.	Telephone	1,050
71.	Furnishing light and heat	800
72.	Office supplies	700
73.	Fuel	1,340

74. Cleaning, toilet supplies, laundry supplies, soap, disinfectants	1,150
75. Clothing	800
76. Bread, butter, eggs, milk, meat, fish, vegetables, groceries and ice	4,800
77. Household supplies, repairs and replacements	1,000

Provided, That the City Commissioners be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the purchase of supplies and payment of miscellaneous expenses and of the salaries and wages of officers and servants employed by the Board of Managers upon certificates of said Board as to their correctness, accompanied by itemized bills of said supplies and expenses.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

A31. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	61,000
1. Supervisor of inspectors.. 1 at \$2,500	
2. Chief clerk..... 1 at 1,800	
3. Clerk	1 at 1,200
4. Inspector	35 at 1,500
5. Chauffeur	1 at 1,200
6. Laborer	2 at 900
85. Rent	3,000
86. Transportation, stationery, office supplies, furniture, scientific and field equipment, printing, postage, keep and maintenance of horses, wagons and motor cars, repairs and replacements, and miscellaneous	9,500

BOARD OF VIEWERS

A34. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	56,420
1. Member of Board of View- ers	9 at \$5,000
2. Chief clerk.....	1 at 2,000

3. Assistant clerk.....	2 at	1,200	
4. Clerk and messenger.....	4 at	1,200	
5. Stenographer	1 at	1,500	
6. Janitor	1 at	720	
A35. Personal services: special fees, affidavits, stenographic reports of hearings....			8,000
91. Printing, stationery, office supplies, post- age			2,100
92. Miscellaneous supplies, etc., not otherwise provided for			3,100

Provided, That the said Commissioners shall prepare, under the supervision of the Committee of Finance, suitable specifications for all stationery, paper, printing and binding, fuel, advertising, supplies, work and material required, and shall advertise for same in accordance with existing ordinances of Councils, excepting as otherwise provided.

Provided, That instead of advertising for printing and binding election tickets and election blanks, printing assessors' lists and printing registrars' street lists, the said Commissioners may, from time to time, ask for written proposals for such work and materials from not less than three responsible parties doing business in Philadelphia. Contracts shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, but only to such contractor or contractors who comply with the ordinance of Councils approved December 10, 1901, providing for the payment of the recognized rate of wages, hours of labor, etc.

CITY TREASURER

SECT. 5. The sum of nine million three hundred and seventeen thousand four hundred and twenty-three (9,317,423) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents is hereby appropriated to the Department of City Treasurer, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$65,950

1. City treasurer.....	1 at	\$10,000
2. Assistant city treasurer..	1 at	5,000
3. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,750
4. Executive clerk.....	1 at	2,400
5. Receiving teller	1 at	2,500
6. First assistant receiving teller	1 at	2,000
7. Second assistant receiving teller	1 at	1,600
8. Paying teller.....	1 at	2,250
9. First assistant paying teller	1 at	1,800
10. Second assistant paying teller	1 at	1,500
11. Third assistant paying teller	1 at	1,200
12. Bookkeeper	1 at	2,250
13. First assistant bookkeeper	1 at	1,600
14. Second assistant bookkeeper	1 at	1,200
15. Warrant clerk.....	1 at	1,700
16. First assistant warrant clerk	1 at	1,500
17. Second assistant warrant clerk	1 at	1,200
18. Third assistant warrant clerk	1 at	1,200
19. State clerk.....	1 at	2,500
20. First assistant state clerk	1 at	2,600
21. Second assistant state clerk	1 at	1,500
22. Third assistant state clerk	1 at	1,500
23. Fourth assistant state clerk	1 at	1,500
24. Clerk	2 at	1,500
25. Messenger	2 at	1,100
26. Watchman	4 at	900
27. Stenographer	1 at	900
28. Telephone attendant....	1 at	900
29. Office messenger.....	1 at	900
30. Janitor	2 at	900

A2. Personal services: salaries and wages for extra help 3,300

1. Transportation, subsistence of persons, and communication service	2,000
2. Advertising and publication of notices...	100
3. Printing, engraving and binding	850

4. Special and miscellaneous services..... 300
5. Alterations and fitting up vaults and
record rooms 2,400
6. Stationery and supplies 800
7. Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise pro-
vided for, and cleaning supplies 2,000
8. Sinking fund instalments on existing
sinking fund bonds, as listed, payments
to be made to the Commissioners of the
Sinking Fund quarterly in advance.. 2,986,238 76

\$6,000,000 (1894) loan.....	\$169,455 00
2,000,000 (1896) loan.....	87,000 00
650,000 (1897) loan.....	23,794 36
1,306,000 (1898) loan.....	47,016 00
11,200,000 (1898) loan.....	344,200 00
12,000,000 (1900) loan.....	229,280 64
5,000,000 (1902) loan.....	95,533 60
16,000,000 (1904) loan.....	305,707 52
4,000,000 (1906) loan.....	62,574 51
13,500,000 (1907) loan.....	257,940 72
10,000,000 (1908) loan.....	191,067 20
3,500,000 (1908) loan.....	66,873 52
5,739,700 (1909) loan.....	109,666 84
5,000,000 (1910) loan.....	95,533 60
2,300,000 (1911) loan.....	43,945 46
9,750,000 (1911) loan.....	186,290 52
4,225,000 (1912) loan.....	80,725 89
7,000,000 (1913) loan.....	133,747 04
2,200,000 (1913) loan.....	42,034 78
3,160,000 (1914) loan.....	60,377 24
11,300,000 (1915) loan.....	114,640 32
4,325,000 (1915) loan.....	38,213 44
6,000,000 (1915) loan.....	57,320 16
42,450,797 (1916) loan.....	143,300 40

9. Interest on existing sinking fund bonds,
as listed, payments to be made to the
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund
just prior to the time the interest in
question is to be paid by them..... 4,987,632

\$6,000,000 (1894) loan.....	\$55,545
2,000,000 (1896) loan.....	28,000
650,000 (1897) loan.....	11,375
1,306,000 (1898) loan.....	21,549
11,200,000 (1898) loan.....	205,800
12,000,000 (1900) loan.....	405,000
5,000,000 (1902) loan.....	175,000
16,000,000 (1904) loan.....	560,000

4,000,000	(1906)	loan.....	131,000
13,500,000	(1907)	loan.....	539,375
10,000,000	(1908)	loan.....	400,000
3,500,000	(1908)	loan.....	140,000
5,739,700	(1909)	loan.....	229,588
5,000,000	(1910)	loan.....	200,000
2,300,000	(1911)	loan.....	92,000
9,750,000	(1911)	loan.....	390,000
4,225,000	(1912)	loan.....	169,000
7,000,000	(1913)	loan.....	280,000
2,200,000	(1913)	loan.....	88,000
3,160,000	(1914)	loan.....	126,400
11,300,000	(1915)	loan.....	240,000
4,325,000	(1915)	loan.....	80,000
6,000,000	(1915)	loan.....	120,000
42,450,797	(1916)	loan.....	300,000

10. Sinking fund instalments on new loans. 152,384 87
11. Interest on new loans, payments to be made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund just prior to the time the interest in question is to be paid by them 717,468 12
12. State tax on city loans..... 330,000
13. Maintenance of indigent insane at state institutions 20,000
14. Firemen's pension fund, for so much thereof as may be received from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on account of two per cent. premium paid by foreign insurance companies..... 46,000

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND

SECT. 6. The sum of two thousand and fifty (2,050) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as follows:

- A1. Personal services: secretary, 1 at \$1,800 \$1,800
 1. Stationery, office supplies, and incidental expenses 250

COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK

SECT. 7. The sum of eight hundred and twenty-nine thousand four hundred and thirty (\$29,430) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, as follows:

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| A1. | Personal services: regular employees, as listed | \$35,600 |
| | 1. Secretary | 1 at \$3,000 |
| | 2. Clerk | 1 at 1,400 |
| | 3. Park solicitor..... | 1 at 1,200 |
| | 4. Office janitor..... | 1 at 500 |
| | 5. Chief engineer..... | 1 at 4,500 |
| | 6. Assistant engineer | 1 at 1,650 |
| | 7. Landscape gardener | 1 at 2,000 |
| | 8. Chief clerk..... | 1 at 1,350 |
| | 9. Messenger | 1 at 900 |
| | 10. Superintendent of aquarium | 1 at 3,000 |
| | 11. Stenographer | 1 at 1,000 |
| | 12. Park guard captain..... | 1 at 2,100 |
| | 13. Park guard lieutenant.... | 1 at 1,800 |
| | 14. Sergeant | 8 at 1,400 |
| A2. | Personal services: park guard, 140 at \$3 per day | 153,300 |
| A3. | Personal services: ranger, 12 at \$2.75 per day | 12,045 |
| A4. | Personal services: labor, skilled and unskilled | 355,955 |
| A5. | Personal services: music for afternoon and evening concerts | 15,000 |
| | 1. Heat, light and power | 60,000 |
| | 2. Coal | 12,000 |
| | 3. Forage for live stock | 10,000 |
| | 4. Uniforms and equipment | 6,080 |
| | 5. Stationery, printing and postage | 4,650 |
| | 6. Carfare, care of automobile and communication service | 800 |
| | 7. Oil and gasoline | 7,500 |
| | 8. Materials for general repairs, alterations and renewals to buildings.... | 25,000 |

9.	Materials for general maintenance work	35,000
10.	Materials and supplies for automobiles	2,000
11.	Purchase and repairs of vehicles, boats, motor trucks, ambulance, settees, tables, fire apparatus and horses....	9,000
12.	Fertilizer and manure	2,500
13.	Fish, transportation and supplies for aquarium	3,000
14.	Miscellaneous supplies not otherwise provided for	500
15.	Street trees, planting and care	25,000
16.	Zoological Garden, maintenance and care: (<i>Provided</i> , That 60,000 tickets be given to the Board of Public Edu- cation and 15,000 tickets be given to the Superintendent of Parochial Schools, for the use of teachers and pupils: <i>Provided</i> , That before this item shall become available, Councils shall be represented in the Board of Managers of said institution by one member from Select Council and one member from Common Council, to be selected by each branch thereof)....	50,000
17.	Park guard pension fund	1,500
18.	Improvement of Cliveden avenue en- trance	3,000

Provided, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that the provisions of the ordinance of Councils entitled "An Ordinance for the employment of only American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved December 16, 1896, has been complied with.

Provided, That the Commissioners of Fairmount Park may make purchases or contracts

to an amount not exceeding five hundred dollars without advertising, and without filing of a bond, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to approve warrants therefor.

CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS

SECT. 8. The sum of one hundred and twenty-one thousand five hundred (121,500) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Clerk of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and Quarter Sessions and Municipal Court, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed			\$94,800
1. Clerk of Court.....	1 at	\$8,000	
2. Deputy clerk.....	1 at	3,500	
3. Court clerk, Quarter Sessions No. 1.....	1 at	4,500	
4. Court clerk.....	5 at	3,000	
5. Assistant court clerk.....	6 at	1,600	
6. Financial clerk.....	1 at	1,800	
7. Cashier and clerk.....	1 at	1,600	
8. Assistant cashier and clerk	1 at	1,400	
9. Chief clerk, Naturalization Court	1 at	1,800	
10. Assistant clerk, Naturalization Court	1 at	1,500	
11. Record clerk.....	2 at	1,500	
12. License clerk.....	1 at	1,400	
13. Fee clerk.....	1 at	1,500	
14. Fee clerk.....	1 at	1,400	
15. Road clerk.....	1 at	1,400	
16. Stenographer	1 at	1,200	
17. Search clerk	1 at	1,200	
18. Warrant clerk.....	1 at	1,200	
19. Subpoena clerk.....	4 at	1,200	
20. Assistant license clerk....	1 at	1,200	
21. Assistant road clerk.....	1 at	1,200	
22. Assistant record clerk	3 at	1,200	
23. Custodian of record.....	1 at	1,200	
24. Custodian and clerk.....	1 at	1,200	
25. Miscellaneous clerk.	12 at	1,200	
26. Miscellaneous clerk.....	1 at	1,000	
27. Stenographer	1 at	1,200	
28. Assistant custodian and clerk	1 at	1,000	
29. Assistant custodian of records	1 at	1,000	
30. Messenger	2 at	1,000	

A2.	Personal services: extra clerk hire.....	1,000
A3.	Personal services: counsel fees and expenses in homicide cases	6,000
1.	Advertising applications for liquor licenses	10,000
2.	Advertising applications for transfer of liquor licenses	1,800
3.	Books, blanks and stationery	3,500
4.	Communication service, traveling expenses, equipment and incidentals..	4,400

CLERKS OF COUNCILS

SECT. 9. The sum of one hundred and eight thousand one hundred and sixteen (108,116) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Clerks of Councils, as follows:

SELECT COUNCIL

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$19,350
1.	Chief clerk.....	1 at \$4,000
2.	Assistant clerk and index clerk	1 at 3,000
3.	Sergeant-at-arms	1 at 3,000
4.	Stenographer and typewriter	1 at 1,750
5.	Assistant stenographer and typewriter	1 at 1,500
6.	Clerk to committees on law, City property and steam railroads	1 at 1,500
7.	Doorkeeper	1 at 300
8.	Messenger	1 at 1,500
9.	Assistant messenger.....	1 at 720
10.	Janitor	1 at 900
11.	Cleaner	2 at 540
12.	Page	1 at 100
A2.	Personal services: compensation for compiling the manual and diary for the members of Councils.....	400

COMMON COUNCIL

- A5. Personal services: regular employees, as listed 32,570
1. Chief clerk..... 1 at \$4,000
 2. Assistant clerk and journal clerk 1 at 2,750
 3. Committee clerk..... 1 at 3,000
 4. Assistant journal and index clerk..... 1 at 2,500
 5. Secretary, Finance Committee 1 at 3,600
 6. Sergeant-at-arms 1 at 3,000
 7. Stenographer and typewriter 1 at 1,750
 8. Stenographer and typewriter, Finance Committee 1 at 1,500
 9. Typewriter and assistant committee clerk..... 1 at 1,650
 10. Assistant stenographer and typewriter..... 1 at 1,000
 11. Transcribing clerk..... 1 at 1,500
 12. Doorkeeper 1 at 300
 13. Messenger 1 at 1,500
 14. Janitor 2 at 900
 15. Assistant messenger..... 2 at 720
 16. Cleaner 2 at 540
 17. Page 2 at 100
- A6. Personal services: compensation for preparing schedules of appropriations and other matters for the use of the Committee on Finance 400
- A7. Personal services: compensation for clerical assistance to the Committee on Finance, and preparing list of bills introduced in Councils 400

Provided, That the Presidents of Select and Common Councils are hereby authorized to appoint the stenographers and typewriters, doorkeepers and pages.

SELECT AND COMMON COUNCILS

1. Carriage and automobile hire: (*Provided*, That instead of advertising the Chief Clerks shall invite written pro-

- posals from not less than three responsible parties, having at least ten first-class carriages or five automobiles of their own, and shall award the contract to the lowest bidder, in accordance with existing ordinances, subject to the approval of the Committee on Finance: *Provided*, That the City Controller shall countersign no warrants drawn on this item until furnished with the bill, approved by the chairman and two members of the Committee for whose use the vehicles were provided) 3,000
2. Meals at night and all-day sessions, etc.:
(*Provided*, That no warrants shall be drawn on this item unless the bills are first approved by the Committee on Finance) 2,000
3. Communication service 1,000
4. Engrossing resolutions 500
5. Advertising and publishing loans and notices 500
6. Repairs to furniture, furnishings and equipment 600
7. Celebrating Fourth of July, Independence Day (to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Fourth of July) 5,000
8. For the proper observance of Memorial Day (to be expended under the supervision of the Soldiers' Monument Committee) 7,696
9. Printing journals and other documents:
(*Provided*, That the bids for printing of the Journal and Appendix of Common Council, and the approved ordinances and other printed matter required by Common Council, shall

be advertised for and the contract awarded separately from that for the Journal and Appendix and other printing required by Select Council, and that no bids shall be entertained, nor shall any contract be awarded for the Select Council printing to parties who have obtained the contract for that of Common Council: *Provided*, That work for printing shall only be awarded to contractors who pay the recognized rate of wages adopted by the Typographical Union) 18,000

10.	Binding journals and other documents	2,000
11.	Printing and binding manual of Councils	2,500
12.	Stationery and educational supplies...	6,000
13.	Paper for ordinances and journals....	1,500
14.	Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions) not otherwise provided for	4,700

Provided, That the Chief Clerks of Councils shall advertise not more than three times in three daily newspapers of the City for printing the Journals and other documents, binding and stationery, required for the use of Councils, and award the contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder, subject to the approval of the Committee on Printing and Supplies.

Provided, That not more than one thousand (1,000) Journals and Appendices of each branch of Councils for each half year shall be printed, and not more than four hundred (400) copies of each half year shall be bound, and not more than seventeen hundred (1,700) books of ordinances for each year shall be printed, and not more than twelve hundred (1,200) copies shall be bound.

Provided, That the Chief Clerks of Councils shall be allowed, when it is their judgment to the best interest of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

CORONER

SECT. 10. The sum of seventy thousand nine hundred and seventy (70,970) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Coroner, as follows:

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| A1. | Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Coroner) | \$12,000 |
| | 1. Coroner | 1 at \$8,000 |
| | 2. Deputy coroner | 1 at 2,500 |
| | 3. Chief clerk..... | 1 at 1,500 |
| A2. | Personal services: regular employees, as listed | 38,260 |
| | 1. Assistant clerk..... | 3 at 1,200 |
| | 2. Physician | 3 at 2,500 |
| | 3. District deputy..... | 11 at 1,200 |
| | 4. Stenographer and type-writer | 1 at 1,200 |
| | 5. Stenographer and type-writer | 1 at 1,100 |
| | 6. Stenographer and type-writer | 1 at 1,000 |
| | 7. Detective | 2 at 1,500 |
| | 8. Messenger | 1 at 720 |
| | 9. Janitor | 1 at 720 |
| | 10. Superintendent of the Morgue | 1 at 1,000 |
| | 11. Assistant superintendent, with use of house..... | 1 at 720 |
| | 12. Engineer | 1 at 1,000 |
| | 13. Helper | 1 at 600 |
| | 14. Janitor, or cleaner service | 1 at 600 |
| | 15. Superintendent and operator, City burial ground | 1 at 1,200 |
| | 16. Helper, City burial ground | 1 at 600 |
| | 17. Helper, City burial ground | 1 at 500 |
| A3. | Personal services: jurors' fees | 3,800 |
| A4. | Personal services: witness fees | 875 |
| A5. | Personal services: emblaming bodies.. | 1,000 |
| A6. | Personal services: chemical analyses of bodies | 1,500 |
| | 1. Transportation of persons | 1,800 |
| | 2. Keep or hire of horses or automobiles | 3,800 |

3.	Towel service, communication service, advertising and publication of notices	500
4.	Printing, stationery and office supplies	1,585
5.	Coal for the Morgue	270
6.	Cleaning and toilet supplies, disinfectants and chemicals	300
7.	Post-mortem materials, etc.: (<i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller may countersign warrants for post-mortem materials without advertising, upon the approval of bills by the Coroner)	2,000
8.	Supplies for Potters' field	500
9.	Burial expenses for Potters' field burials	2,000
10.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	780

INSPECTORS OF THE COUNTY PRISONS

SECT. 11. The sum of two hundred and ninety thousand and ninety-eight (290,098) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Inspectors of the County Prisons, as follows:

REED STREET PRISON

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$73,824
1.	Superintendent	1 at \$5,000
2.	Clerk	1 at 2,500
3.	Assistant superintendent	1 at 1,900
4.	Physician	1 at 1,800
5.	Assistant physician and apothecary	1 at 1,800
6.	Prison agent	1 at 1,650
7.	Chief electrician and engineer	1 at 1,650
8.	Keeper in charge of court calendar	1 at 1,500
9.	Keeper and registrar	1 at 1,350
10.	Assistant electrician	1 at 1,200
11.	Plumber and keeper	1 at 1,200
12.	Carpenter and keeper	1 at 1,200
13.	Painter and keeper	1 at 1,200
14.	Gate keeper	2 at 1,200

15. Engineer	1 at	1,050
16. Second assistant electrician	1 at	1,050
17. Keeper	20 at	1,050
18. Messenger	1 at	1,050
19. Baker	1 at	1,050
20. Cook	1 at	1,050
21. Fireman	1 at	1,050
22. Night gate keeper.....	2 at	1,050
23. Watchman	6 at	900
24. Matron	1 at	1,500
25. Assistant matron.....	1 at	1,050
26. Keeper (woman).....	6 at	900
27. Watchwoman	4 at	700
28. Physician (woman)	1 at	1,300
29. Domestic	2 at	6 per week
A2. Personal services: overwork of prisoners		150
A3. Personal services: dental, oculist, veterinary and surgical services.....		100
1. Transportation		850
2. Hauling ashes		550
3. Communication service		950
4. Advertising and publication of notices		200
5. Presents to discharged prisoners.....		150
6. Repairs and improvements		1,000
7. Leather and shoe findings		900
8. Stationery		400
9. Drugs, disinfectants, hospital supplies.		1,200
10. Fuel		13,000
11. Electricians', engineers' and automobile supplies		2,000
12. Soap		1,200
13. Brooms, combs, and material for making brushes		400
14. Clothing, bedding, dry goods, notions, yarn, etc.		7,000
15. Hay, feed and straw		250
16. Flour		10,000
17. Beef, mutton and pork		16,000
18. Groceries and provisions		2,500

19.	Vegetables	3,500
20.	Milk	600
21.	Compressed yeast	400
22.	Ice	450
23.	Gas	250
24.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc., not otherwise provided for	250
25.	Materials for repairs and improvements, including mechanics' tools	3,000
26.	Equipment	6,500
27.	Library books	150
28.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	100

HOLMESBURG PRISON

A6. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$55,974

1.	Assistant superintendent..	1	at	\$2,500
2.	Physician	1	at	2,000
3.	Clerk	1	at	1,650
4.	Chief electrician and engineer	1	at	1,350
5.	Keeper and registrar....	1	at	1,350
6.	Carpenter and keeper....	1	at	1,200
7.	Painter and keeper.....	1	at	1,200
8.	Shoemaker and keeper....	1	at	1,200
9.	Bricklayer and keeper....	1	at	1,200
10.	Tailor and keeper.....	1	at	1,200
11.	Printer and keeper.....	1	at	1,200
12.	Plumber and keeper.....	1	at	1,200
13.	First assistant electrician.	1	at	1,200
14.	Electrician and keeper....	1	at	1,050
15.	Second assistant electrician	1	at	1,050
16.	Messenger	1	at	1,050
17.	Gate keeper.....	1	at	1,050
18.	Keeper	15	at	1,050
19.	Baker	1	at	1,050
20.	Cook	1	at	1,050
21.	Fireman	2	at	1,050
22.	Night gate keeper.....	1	at	1,050
23.	Watchman	13	at	900
24.	Domestic	2	at	6 per week

A7. Personal services: overwork of prisoners 150

38.	Personal services: dental, oculist, veterinary and surgical services....	100
40.	Communication service	400
41.	Advertising and publication of notices.	200
42.	Water rent: (<i>Provided</i> , The Inspectors of the County Prisons are hereby authorized to purchase and contract for a supply of water from the Holmesburg and Disston Water Company, for the Holmesburg Prison, for the year 1917, without advertising)....	3,500
43.	Presents for discharged prisoners	400
44.	Leather, shoe findings and stocking yarn	6,500
45.	Stationery, printing and binding	500
46.	Drugs, disinfectants and hospital supplies	1,200
47.	Fuel	15,000
48.	Engineers', electricians' and automobile supplies	2,500
49.	Soap	1,000
50.	Brooms, combs, brushes, and material for making brushes	400
51.	Clothing, bedding, dry goods, notions and weaving yarn	7,000
52.	Hay, feed and straw	300
53.	Flour	10,000
54.	Beef, mutton and pork	16,500
55.	Groceries and provisions	3,000
56.	Vegetables	4,000
57.	Milk	750
58.	Compressed yeast	500
59.	Ice	600
60.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc., not otherwise provided for	500
61.	Materials for repairs and improvements, including mechanics' tools.....	5,000

62.	Library books	200
63.	Equipment	6,000
64.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	100

Provided, That the Inspectors of the County Prisons shall be allowed, when it is in their judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for each prison not exceeding the sum of one hundred (100) dollars, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to countersign warrants for bills so rendered upon the approval of the said bills by the Inspectors of the County Prisons.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

SECT. 12. The sum of one hundred and three thousand eight hundred (103,800) dollars is hereby appropriated to the District Attorney, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as

listed: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the District Attorney)		\$82,400
1. District attorney.....	1 at \$12,000	
2. First assistant district at- torney	1 at 7,500	
3. Assistant district attor- ney	4 at 5,000	
4. Assistant district attor- ney	3 at 4,000	
5. Assistant district attor- ney	2 at 3,000	
6. Indictment attorney.....	1 at 2,500	
7. Chief clerk.....	1 at 3,000	
8. Clerk	2 at 1,500	
9. Clerk	1 at 1,400	
10. Office clerk.....	2 at 1,200	
11. Indictment clerk	1 at 2,000	
12. Fee clerk.....	1 at 1,100	
13. Legal stenographer.....	1 at 1,800	
14. Clerk	1 at 900	
15. Stenographer and clerk..	1 at 1,000	
16. Messenger	1 at 1,100	
17. Detective	1 at 1,700	
18. Detective	2 at 1,500	

A2.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	2,400
	1. Stenographer and typist. 2 at \$1,200	
A3.	Personal services: extra help	2,000
A4.	Personal services: expert testimony...	4,500
A5.	Personal services: witness fees	2,500
1.	Transportation, extradition and communication service	3,000
2.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	7,000

PROTHONOTARY

SECT. 13. The sum of one hundred and twenty-two thousand nine hundred and ninety (122,990) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Prothonotary of the Courts of Common Pleas and Municipal Court, as follows:

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Prothonotary)	\$102,170
	1. Prothonotary	1 at \$10,000
	2. Deputy prothonotary....	1 at 4,000
	3. Second deputy prothonotary	1 at 2,100
	4. Bond, fee clerk and book-keeper	1 at 1,700
	5. Assistant bookkeeper....	1 at 1,200
	6. Cashier	1 at 1,500
	7. Court clerk.....	9 at 3,000
	8. Miscellaneous clerk.....	2 at 1,500
	9. Appearance and state tax clerk	1 at 1,500
	10. Miscellaneous and state tax clerk.....	1 at 1,300
	11. Appearance clerk.....	4 at 1,200
	12. Writ and miscellaneous clerk	3 at 1,200
	13. Lien and miscellaneous clerk	2 at 1,200
	14. Locality search clerk	3 at 1,200
	15. Stenographer or miscellaneous clerk.....	2 at 1,200
	16. Custodian of records and clerk	1 at 1,200

17. Miscellaneous clerk.....	12 at	1,200
18. Stenographer and clerk..	1 at	1,100
19. Miscellaneous clerk.....	6 at	1,000
20. Clerk and custodian of records	1 at	1,000
21. Clerk and custodian of records	5 at	900
22. Clerk and custodian of records	2 at	800
23. Messenger	1 at	800
24. Janitor	1 at	750
25. Janitor	1 at	720
A2. Personal services: miscellaneous serv- ices: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Prothonotary)		500
A3. Personal services: special and misce- laneous services: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fess earned by the Prothonotary)...		750
1. Communication service and advertising		350
2. Supplies, stationery, etc.		2,600
3. Miscellaneous supplies		1,500
4. Printing, blank books, communication service, engraving and binding		9,000
5. Rebinding old docketts		1,000
6. Furniture and furnishings		5,000
7. Miscellaneous		120

RECEIVER OF TAXES

SECT. 14. The sum of three hundred and six thousand eight hundred and ten (\$306,810) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Receiver of Taxes, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed		\$234,810
1. Receiver of taxes.....	1 at	\$10,000
2. Chief clerk.....	1 at	3,000
3. Assistant chief clerk.....	1 at	1,600
4. Stenographer and confi- dential clerk	1 at	1,400
5. Janitor	4 at	720

6. Watchman	1 at	600
7. Custodian of records and supplies	1 at	1,000
8. Deputy receiver.....	1 at	2,000
9. Cashier	1 at	2,500
10. Discount clerk	1 at	1,700
11. Judicial sales clerk.....	1 at	1,400
12. Auditor and assistant cashier	1 at	1,500
13. Chief bill clerk.....	1 at	1,200
14. Bill clerk	12 at	1,100
15. Chief registering clerk...	1 at	1,200
16. Registering clerk.....	11 at	1,100
17. Messenger	1 at	1,200
18. Assistant messenger.....	1 at	750
19. District receiver.....	8 at	2,500
20. Cashier	8 at	1,800
21. Clerk	24 at	1,100
22. Janitor	8 at	720
23. Receiving clerk, state taxes	1 at	1,800
24. Receiving clerk and as- sistant auditor, state taxes	1 at	1,200
25. State tax registering clerk	2 at	1,000
26. Chief deputy collector of delinquent taxes.....	1 at	2,500
27. Cashier	1 at	2,000
28. Lien clerk.....	1 at	1,800
29. Assistant lien clerk.....	7 at	1,100
30. Auditor, including carfare and other transporta- tion	4 at	1,500
31. Locality clerk.....	1 at	1,320
32. Registering clerk.....	1 at	1,200
33. Assistant registering clerk	1 at	1,100
34. Bill clerk.....	1 at	1,200
35. Deputy collector of delin- quent taxes.....	37 at	1,200
36. Miscellaneous clerk.....	1 at	1,100
37. Chief clerk, Bureau of Water Rents.....	1 at	2,000
38. Chief bill clerk, Bureau of Water Rents.....	1 at	1,500
39. Cashier, Bureau of Water Rents	1 at	1,700
40. Assistant cashier and lien clerk	1 at	1,300
41. Permit receiving clerk...	1 at	1,400
42. Permit registering clerk.	1 at	1,200
43. Search clerk	1 at	1,300
44. Chief registering clerk...	1 at	1,200
45. Registering clerk.....	5 at	1,100
46. Entry clerk	2 at	1,200
47. General clerk.....	7 at	1,000

48. Messenger	1 at	900
49. Chief search clerk.....	1 at	1,500
50 Assistant search clerk....	4 at	1,200
A2. Personal services: extra help		35,000
A3. Personal services: preparing duplicate copies of registered taxes for the City Controller		500
1. Transportation to visit and inspect branch tax offices and deputy collec- tors' offices		500
2. Meals for regular employees on extra and night work		3,000
3. Advertising		6,000
4. Postage		800
5. Printing poll tax receipts, books and expenses incident thereto		1,500
6. Miscellaneous and incidentals, main tax office		1,000
7. Telephone, district branch offices		1,000
8. Lighting, branch offices		900
9. Rent, district offices		7,600
10. Expenses of 37 deputy collectors, at not more than \$200 each		7,400
11. Refunding to overseers of poor of Rox- borough, poor tax collected in 1916.		5,500
12. Refunding of twice-paid, overpaid and paid-in-error water rents, water per- mits and pipe-laying bills		500
13. Miscellaneous and incidentals, district branch offices		800

RECORDER OF DEEDS

SECT. 15. The sum of two hundred and eighty-four thousand four hundred and sixty (284,460) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Recorder of Deeds, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (*Provided*, That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Recorder of Deeds)\$159,950

1. Recorder of deeds.....	1 at	\$10,000
2. Deputy recorder of deeds	1 at	4,000
3. Solicitor	1 at	4,000
4. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,000
5. Bookkeeper and assistant cashier	1 at	1,750
6. Cashier and assistant bookkeeper	1 at	1,200
7. Chief search clerk.....	1 at	2,000
8. Mortgage search clerk...	3 at	1,500
9. Conveyance search clerk...	2 at	1,500
10. Chief deed index clerk...	1 at	1,800
11. Chief mortgage index clerk	1 at	1,800
12. Assistant index clerk....	2 at	1,500
13. Miscellaneous clerk.....	1 at	1,300
14. Miscellaneous clerk.....	6 at	1,200
15. Chief compare clerk in charge of deeds.....	1 at	1,800
16. Chief compare clerk in charge of mortgages...	1 at	1,350
17. Clerk in charge of deeds.	1 at	1,200
18. Clerk in charge of mortgages	1 at	1,200
19. Compare clerk.....	3 at	1,350
20. Compare clerk.....	10 at	1,200
21. Auditor	1 at	1,200
22. Stenographer and typewriter	1 at	1,200
23. Receipt clerk.....	1 at	1,500
24. Assistant receipt clerk...	1 at	1,100
25. Delivery clerk.....	1 at	1,200
26. Satisfaction entry clerk.	1 at	1,000
27. Notation clerk.....	1 at	1,500
28. Typist in charge of records	1 at	1,350
29. Assistant typist in charge of records.....	1 at	1,200
30. Typist in charge of characters	1 at	1,350
31. Certificate clerk.....	2 at	1,200
32. Proof typist	4 at	1,200
33. Superintendent of typists	1 at	1,600
34. Assistant superintendent of typists	1 at	1,400
35. Messenger in charge of instruments	1 at	1,200
36. Recorder's messenger....	1 at	800
37. Typist	55 at	1,200

A2.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	97,560
	1. Chief clerk copyist..... 1 at	1,500
	2. Assistant chief clerk 1 at	1,400
	3. Recopyist .....29 at	1,200
	4. Special typist .....30 at	1,200
	5. Registration typist..... 3 at	1,200
	6. State clerk..... 1 at	1,200
	7. Chief custodian..... 1 at	1,100
	8. Custodian of records..... 1 at	1,100
	9. Custodian of records..... 6 at	1,200
	10. Assistant custodian of records 2 at	1,000
	11. Assistant custodian of records 3 at	900
	12. Mechanician 1 at	1,200
	13. Assistant watchman..... 2 at	800
	14. Janitor 1 at	720
	15. Assistant janitor..... 2 at	720
A3.	Personal services: extra clerk hire	12,000
	1. Alterations, repairs, equipment, painting, etc.	5,750
	2. Printing, binding, index books, blank books, etc.	3,700
	3. Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	5,500

REGISTER OF WILLS

SECT. 16. The sum of ninety-eight thousand three hundred and ninety-five (98,395) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Register of Wills, as follows:

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Register of Wills)	\$84,420
	1. Register of wills and clerk of Orphans' Court..... 1 at	\$10,000
	2. Deputy register 1 at	2,500
	3. Chief clerk..... 1 at	1,700
	4. Assistant chief clerk.... 1 at	1,600
	5. Bookkeeper and cashier.. 1 at	1,500
	6. Chief compare clerk..... 1 at	2,000
	7. Transcribing clerk..... 3 at	1,200
	8. Miscellaneous clerk..... 2 at	1,200
	9. Chief account clerk..... 1 at	1,500

10. Account clerk	4 at	1,200
11. Recording clerk	4 at	1,200
12. Inventory clerk	1 at	1,200
13. Index clerk	3 at	1,200
14. Compare clerk	3 at	1,200
15. Temporary clerk	2 at	1,200
16. Search clerk	1 at	1,200
17. Stenographer and type- writer	1 at	1,200
18. Custodian of records	2 at	1,000
19. Messenger	1 at	1,000
20. Janitor	1 at	600
21. First assistant clerk of Orphans' Court	1 at	3,500
22. Second assistant clerk of Orphans' Court	1 at	2,500
23. Third assistant clerk of Orphans' Court	1 at	1,800
24. Assistant clerk of Or- phans' Court	12 at	1,500
25. Assistant clerk of Or- phans' Court	1 at	1,200
26. Assistant clerk of Or- phans' Court	1 at	1,000
27. Interpreter	1 at	1,500
28. Messenger and custodian of records	1 at	1,000
29. Janitor	1 at	720
A2. Personal services: stenographic services		2,000
1. Communication service		225
2. Advertising proposals		50
3. Blank books, etc.		1,000
4. Blank forms and stationery		1,225
5. Cleaning and supplies		1,000
6. Towels		25
7. Stationery, printing and supplies for Orphans' Court		1,000
8. Law books		600
9. Equipment: Register of Wills' office ..		2,700
10. Equipment: Orphans' Court		3,000
11. Miscellaneous		1,150

BOARD OF REVISION OF TAXES

SECT. 17. The sum of two hundred and ninety-one thousand nine hundred and thirty (291,930) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Board of Revision of Taxes, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed\$272,280

1. Member of board of revision of taxes.....	3	at	\$6,000
2. Assessor	70	at	3,000
3. Chief clerk	1	at	2,500
4. Assistant chief clerk.....	1	at	2,000
5. Registration clerk.....	1	at	2,000
6. Division and locality clerk	1	at	1,700
7. Certificate clerk.....	1	at	1,500
8. Allowance clerk.....	1	at	1,800
9. General clerk.....	1	at	1,500
10. Special clerk.....	1	at	1,400
11. Miscellaneous clerk.....	22	at	1,200
12. Stenographer and typewriter	1	at	1,200
13. Janitor	2	at	720
14. Doorkeeper	1	at	840

A2. Personal services: extra clerks, each at \$75 per month 8,800

A3. Personal services: fees for furnishing abstracts of recorded deeds..... 1,200

1. Automobile and carriage hire	450
2. Postage, telephone, etc.	1,000
3. Advertising and publication of notices.	400
4. Additions to maps, atlases, etc.....	1,000
5. Printing, engraving, lithographing, binding	5,400

Provided, That when binding shall be required, payment for which is taken from Item 5, the said Board be authorized to invite proposals from not less than five responsible parties, known to be engaged in the business, and to award the contract to the lowest bidder, with the approval of the Committee on Finance, and that the schedule of the bids received, and

the award of the contract made, with a copy of the request of such bids, certified by the Committee on Finance, shall be sent to the City Controller before he shall sign any warrants for binding.

6. Furniture, furnishings, other equipment	200
7. Stationery, office supplies	600
8. Cleaning and toilet supplies	300
9. Miscellaneous purposes, not otherwise provided for	300

SHERIFF

SECT. 18. The sum of one hundred and ninety-seven thousand nine hundred and forty (197,940) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Sheriff, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (<i>Provided</i> , That the amounts paid shall be taken from fees earned by the Sheriff)	\$66,100
1. Sheriff	1 at \$15,000
2. Chief and real estate deputy	1 at 6,000
3. Personal deputy	1 at 5,000
4. Special deputy	1 at 3,000
5. Execution clerk	1 at 1,800
6. Auditor	1 at 1,800
7. Clerk to real estate deputy	1 at 1,500
8. Clerk to personal deputy and warrant clerk	1 at 1,700
9. Appearance clerk	1 at 1,500
10. Assistant appearance clerk	1 at 1,000
11. Fee clerk	1 at 1,500
12. Return clerk	4 at 1,100
13. Miscellaneous clerk	1 at 1,000
14. Deputy sheriff	7 at 1,500
15. Clerk to deputy sheriff ..	7 at 1,100
16. Quarter sessions deputy ..	1 at 900
17. Court deputy	5 at 100
18. Deputy sheriff, Morals Court	1 at 1,200
19. Deputy sheriff, Orphans' Court	1 at 100

A2.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$2,620
	1. Active Solicitor	1 at \$5,000
	2. Solicitor	1 at 3,000
	3. Billposter	1 at 1,200
	4. Confidential clerk and stenographer	1 at 1,200
	5. Stenographer	1 at 1,000
	6. Writ server	19 at 900
	7. Clerk and messenger....	2 at 900
	8. Custodian of books and records	1 at 840
	9. Messenger	1 at 720
	10. Janitor	1 at 720
	11. Cleaner	1 at 600
	12. Auctioneer	1 at 600
	13. Superintendent of court service	1 at 1,300
	14. Prisoners' elevator guard	1 at 900
	15. Guard for van service...	4 at 900
	16. Driver for van service...	1 at 900
	17. Custodian of prisoners...	3 at 900
	18. Matron, cell room.....	1 at 900
	19. Janitor, cell room.....	1 at 720
	20. Deputy in charge of criminal work.....	1 at 1,800
	21. Clerk, Domestic Relations' Court	2 at 1,100
	22. Special process server ...	4 at 1,200
	23. Criminal process server..	15 at 900
	24. Writ server	9 at 900
	25. Matron, Juvenile Court..	2 at 900
	26. Chauffeur, Juvenile Court	2 at 1,000
	27. Guard, Morals Court....	1 at 1,000
	28. Juvenile Court attendant	1 at 1,000
	29. Juvenile van guard.....	1 at 900
	30. Attendant, Municipal Court cell room.....	1 at 720
A3.	Personal services: extra clerks	7,000
A4.	Personal services: sheriff's juries....	1,000
	1. Conveyance of prisoners	2,200
	2. Conveyance of prisoners, Municipal Court	2,000
	3. For use and driver of van	2,200
	4. Expense of writ service	3,000
	5. Expense of writ service, Municipal Court	2,000

6.	Preparation and advertising sheriff's proclamations	5,000
7.	Printing and posting sheriff's proclamations	1,500
8.	Sheriff's costs, advertising city <i>Sci. Fas.</i> : (<i>Provided</i> , The City Controller may countersign warrants on this item for bills for the year 1916)....	8,500
9.	Costs incident to city writs	2,000
10.	Stationery, books, postage and miscellaneous supplies	5,400
11.	Stationery, books and miscellaneous supplies, Municipal Court	1,700
12.	Uniforms for persons	550
13.	Uniforms for persons, Municipal Court	120
14.	Horses, keep of horses, repairs to van service and maintenance of automobiles	4,150
15.	Refurnishing and cleaning offices	900

ART JURY

SECT. 19. The sum of three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Art Jury, as follows:

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$2,900
	1. Secretary	1 at \$2,000
	2. Stenographer and clerk... 1 at	900
1.	Transportation, hire of vehicles, traveling expenses	50
2.	Hotel expenses	50
3.	Communication services	150
4.	Printing, engraving, lithographing, binding	200
5.	Books and periodicals for library.....	50
6.	Stationery	50
7.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	50

BOARD OF RECREATION

SECT. 20. The sum of one hundred and seventy-one thousand six hundred and ninety-two (171,692) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Board of Recreation, as follows:

- A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed\$120,000
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| 1. Executive secretary..... | 1 at | \$3,000 |
| 2. Stenographer | 1 at | 800 |
| 3. Messenger | 1 at | 600 |
| 4. Principal | 1 at | 1,400 |
| 5. Principal | 7 at | 1,200 |
| 6. Assistant principal..... | 7 at | 1,000 |
| 7. Teacher | 1 at | 980 |
| 8. Teacher | 23 at | 960 |
| 9. Assistant teacher..... | 37 at | 780 |
| 10. Caretaker | 4 at | 800 |
| 11. Caretaker | 6 at | 720 |
| 12. Assistant caretaker..... | 4 at | 600 |
| 13. Janitor | 8 at | 720 |
| 14. Assistant janitor..... | 10 at | 600 |
| 15. Watchman | 6 at | 720 |
| 16. Watchman | 6 at | 600 |
| 17. Bath house caretaker..... | 24 at | 720 |
- A2. Personal services: bath house matron,
25 at \$2 per day, 35 days..... 1,750
- A3. Personal services: temporary employees
(piano players, teachers of swim-
ming, etc.) 12,000
- A4. Personal services: evening recreation
centers 8,000
- A5. Personal services: laborer, 2 at \$2 per
day 1,252
- A6. Personal services: cleaning office..... 300

Provided, That for the payment of the salaries of the principals, assistant principals, teachers, assistant teachers, caretakers, janitors, watchmen and all other permanent or temporary employees embraced in personal service items, one warrant shall be drawn in the name of the executive secretary, and pay-

ment shall thereupon be made by such executive secretary.

1. Hire and maintenance of vehicles, transportation, communication service	2,000
2. Uniforms, 6 at \$40 each	240
3. Printing	750
4. Water for Disston playground	400
5. Play material, appliances and appurtenances	10,000
6. General repairs for playgrounds and bath houses	12,000
7. Removing snow, etc.	1,000
8. Planting trees, shrubs, etc.	1,500
9. Miscellaneous	500

Provided, That the said Board shall be allowed, when they deem it to the best interest of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

SECT. 21. The sum of fifty-three thousand and ten (53,010) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Civil Service Commission, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$48,760
1. President	1 at \$5,000
2. Commissioner	2 at 3,000
3. Clerk and stenographer...	2 at 1,000
4. Messenger	1 at 840
5. Cleaner	3 at 360
6. Chief clerk.....	1 at 2,400
7. Clerk or stenographer...	1 at 1,400
8. Clerk or stenographer...	2 at 1,100
9. Clerk or stenographer...	2 at 1,000
10. Clerk or stenographer...	1 at 900
11. Clerk or stenographer...	1 at 720
12. Chief examiner.....	1 at 2,600
13. Assistant examiner.....	3 at 1,800
14. Chief, application division	1 at 1,800
15. Keeper of records.....	1 at 1,300

16. Clerk or stenographer....	1 at	1,200
17. Clerk or stenographer....	3 at	1,000
18. Clerk or stenographer....	2 at	900
19. Clerk or stenographer....	1 at	720
20. Chief investigator.....	1 at	1,800
21. Clerk or stenographer....	1 at	600
22. Medical director.....	1 at	1,800
23. Investigator	1 at	1,200
24. Clerk or stenographer....	1 at	1,000

Provided, That no person shall be employed in this department while holding any other office of profit under the Government of the United States, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or the City of Philadelphia.

A2. Personal services: special examiners..	1,000
A3. Personal services: expert services.....	200
1. Transportation, subsistence, communication service, advertising	2,000
2. Repairs and alterations	250
3. Furniture and equipment	500
4. Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	300

CITY TRANSIT

SECT. 22. The sum of thirty-eight thousand nine hundred and eighty (38,980) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of City Transit, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$23,630
1. Director	1 at \$10,000
2. Assistant director	1 at 4,000
3. Secretary	1 at 2,500
4. Clerk and accountant....	1 at 1,400
5. Filing clerk and librarian	1 at 1,250
6. Stenographer	1 at 1,200
7. Chauffeur	1 at 1,000
8. Messenger	2 at 900
9. Office boy	1 at 480
1. Postage, telephone, telegraph, express and messenger service and miscellaneous	1,500

2.	Maintenance of automobile and chauffeur's uniform	550
3.	Transportation	800
4.	Rent of offices in Bourse	9,000
5.	Borings and securing data	2,000
6.	Compiling, coloring, printing, reproduction	1,500

MAYOR

SECT. 23. The sum of five hundred and thirty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven (536,967) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents is hereby appropriated to the Department of Mayor, as follows:

MAYOR'S OFFICE

A1.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$32,220
	1. Mayor	1 at \$12,000
	2. Secretary	1 at 6,000
	3. Statistician	1 at 2,400
	4. Chief clerk.....	1 at 2,000
	5. Clerk	1 at 1,500
	6. Confidential clerk and stenographer	1 at 1,200
	7. Clerk	1 at 1,200
	8. Stenographer	2 at 1,000
	9. Messenger	1 at 1,200
	10. Chauffeur	1 at 1,200
	11. Assistant to statistician.	1 at 800
	12. Cleaner	2 at 360
A2.	Personal services: salaries and wages for extra help	1,000
A3.	Personal services: loan and transfer agent	18,000
A4.	Personal services: rewards for the detection of crime (subject to the approval of the Presidents of Select and Common Councils)	500
1.	Communication service, hire of vehicles, meals, hotel expenses, transportation, repairs, towel supply	2,000

2. Advertising of ordinances: (*Provided*, That in ordinance advertising the rate for advertising shall not exceed ten (10) cents per line for papers that have a *bona fide* circulation up to and including 50,000; fifteen (15) cents per line for papers that have a circulation between 50,000 and 125,000; and twenty (20) cents per line for papers that have a circulation of over 125,000: *Provided*, That all ordinances be printed in all the editions of the newspapers accepting such advertising in agate type).... 35,000
3. Miscellaneous advertising 3,000
4. Purchase, storage, care and repair of automobile 1,000
5. Official entertaining 5,000
6. Contribution to the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts: (*Provided*, Payments be made in quarterly instalments: *Provided*, That 60,000 tickets be supplied to the Board of Education for the use of the children of the public schools) 20,000
7. Contribution to the University of Pennsylvania Museum 25,000
8. Contribution to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art: (*Provided*, Payments be made in quarterly instalments) 30,000
9. Contribution to the Teachers' Annuity and Aid Association 10,000
10. Free scholarships, University of Pennsylvania (cost of matriculation examination) 500
11. Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions) not otherwise provided for 1,000

PHILADELPHIA MUSEUMS

- A8. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$37,000
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|--|------|--------------|
| 1. Director | 1 at | \$5,000 |
| 2. Secretary and assistant treasurer | 1 at | 3,600 |
| 3. Cashier and bookkeeper... | 1 at | 780 |
| 4. Stenographer | 2 at | 780 |
| 5. Stenographer | 1 at | 480 |
| 6. Registrar | 1 at | 720 |
| 7. Messenger | 1 at | 300 |
| 8. Librarian and statistician | 1 at | 2,300 |
| 9. Library assistant..... | 2 at | 780 |
| 10. Library assistant..... | 1 at | 480 |
| 11. Curator | 1 at | 2,000 |
| 12. Assistant curator | 1 at | 1,800 |
| 13. Assistant to curator..... | 1 at | 900 |
| 14. Modelmaker | 1 at | 900 |
| 15. Superintendent of buildings and grounds..... | 1 at | 1,800 |
| 16. Foreman | 1 at | 900 |
| 17. Laborer | 2 at | 780 |
| 18. Laborer | 1 at | 600 |
| 19. Doorkeeper | 1 at | 2 50 per day |
| 20. Day watchman..... | 2 at | 2 00 per day |
| 21. Night watchman..... | 2 at | 2 00 per day |
| 22. Laborer | 1 at | 2 75 per day |
| 23. Laborer | 4 at | 2 00 per day |
| 24. Carpenter | 1 at | 35 per hour |
| 25. Painter | 1 at | 42½ per hour |
| 26. Scrubwoman | 1 at | 1 50 per day |
- A9. Personal services: salaries and wages of temporary employees 7,500
21. Maintenance and repairs of museums.. 4,500
22. Care and improvement of grounds..... 1,000

Provided, Payments to the Philadelphia Museums be made in quarterly instalments in advance for maintenance, and for the balance as bills are presented.

FREE LIBRARY OF PHILADELPHIA

- A13. Personal services: salaries: (*Provided*, That the minimum salary paid to library assistants shall be \$40 per month each, and to librarians in

	charge of branches, \$900 per year each)	\$105,041
31.	Rent	18,806 75
32.	Bindery	12,500
33.	Electricity	2,500
34.	General expense	6,000
35.	Alterations and repairs	1,500
36.	Books	25,000
37.	Maintenance of Carnegie branches....	111,400
38.	Repairs of Carnegie branches	5,000
39.	Books for Carnegie branches	15,000

Provided, Payments to the Free Library of Philadelphia be made in quarterly instalments in advance.

Provided, That money appropriated shall be used for maintenance, as follows: Main Library and Branches: Children's Department, Department of the Blind, Department of Public Documents (in Spring Garden Branch), Wagner Institute Branch, Broad and Federal Branch, Kensington Branch. H. Josephine Widener Branch, John Wanamaker Branch. Carnegie Branches: West Philadelphia Branch, Lehigh Avenue Branch, Frankford Branch, Tacony Branch, Germantown Branch, Thomas Holme Branch, Spring Garden Branch, Wissahickon Branch, Manayunk Branch, Chestnut Hill Branch, Richmond Branch, Oak Lane Branch, Southwark Branch, Falls of Schuylkill Branch, Passyunk Branch, South Philadelphia Branch, Paschalville Branch, Haddington Branch, McPherson Square Branch, Nicetown Branch. Deposit Stations: Bustleton Traveling Library, Forty-ninth Street Traveling Library, St. Martha's House Deposit Station, Robert W. Ryerss Library and Museum, James W. Queen Memorial.

Provided, That no new branches or stations shall be opened or maintained without the approval of Councils.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES

SECTION 24. The sum of one million four hundred and five thousand six hundred and thirty-four (1,405,634) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities, as follows:

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

- A1. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$24,960
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|---|------|----------|--|
| 1. Director | 1 at | \$10,000 | |
| 2. Assistant director..... | 1 at | 4,000 | |
| 3. Chief clerk..... | 1 at | 2,500 | |
| 4. Agent for the prevention
of disease..... | 1 at | 1,500 | |
| 5. Confidential clerk and
stenographer | 1 at | 1,300 | |
| 6. Stenographer and type-
writer | 1 at | 1,000 | |
| 7. Stenographer and type-
writer | 1 at | 900 | |
| 8. Telephone operator or
clerk | 1 at | 600 | |
| 9. Messenger and clerk..... | 1 at | 800 | |
| 10. Cleaner | 1 at | 360 | |
| 11. Chauffeur | 2 at | 1,000 | |
1. Maintenance of automobiles 2,000
2. Transportation, expressage, removal of non-residents, meals, communication service, advertising, newspapers, medical journals 3,150
3. Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for 500

BUREAU OF HEALTH

- A4. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$362,300
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|---|------------|
| 1. Chief of bureau of health. 1 at | \$4,000 |
| 2. Chief clerk..... 1 at | 2,000 |
| 3. Assistant engineer..... 1 at | 1,800 |
| 4. First assistant clerk..... 1 at | 1,500 |
| 5. Stenographer and type-
writer | 1 at 1,000 |

6. Stenographer and typewriter	1 at	900
7. Messenger	1 at	800
8. Cleaner	3 at	360
9. Chief medical inspector...	1 at	4,600
10. Assistant chief medical inspector	1 at	2,400
11. Assistant medical inspector	51 at	1,400

Provided, That at least ten of these inspectors shall be physicians of the homœopathic school of practice:
Provided, That when no homœopathic physician can be secured in any ward, the Director be authorized to appoint an allopathic physician.

12. Diagnostician and consultant	1 at	\$2,500
13. Assistant diagnostician and consultant	1 at	2,000
14. Chief disinfecter.....	1 at	1,400
15. Assistant disinfecter.....	10 at	1,000
16. Clerk to chief medical inspector	1 at	1,500
17. Assistant clerk to chief medical inspector	1 at	1,200
18. Assistant clerk.....	11 at	1,000
19. Record clerk.....	1 at	1,000
20. Stenographer and typewriter	1 at	1,000
21. Chief bacteriologist.....	1 at	2,000
22. First assistant bacteriologist	1 at	2,000
23. Second assistant bacteriologist	1 at	1,500
24. Third assistant bacteriologist	2 at	1,400
25. Fourth assistant bacteriologist	2 at	1,000
26. Helper	5 at	600
27. Cleaner	5 at	480
28. Cleaner	1 at	360
29. First assistant, antitoxin laboratory	1 at	1,000
30. Helper, antitoxin laboratory	1 at	800
31. Hostler	1 at	900
32. Assistant hostler.....	1 at	720
33. Collector of specimens...	1 at	1,000
34. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	720
35. Chemist	1 at	2,000
36. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,200

37. Helper	1 at	660
38. Cleaner, antitoxin labora- tory	1 at	600
39. Health officer.....	1 at	2,100
40. Chief clerk to health officer	1 at	1,200
41. Assistant clerk to health officer	1 at	900
42. Chief of division of vital statistics	1 at	1,750
43. Collector of vital statistics	2 at	1,000
44. Registration clerk.....	9 at	1,000
45. Chief of division of hous- ing and sanitation.....	1 at	3,100
46. Assistant chief of division of housing and sanita- tion	1 at	1,900
47. Supervising inspector of housing	1 at	2,900
48. Supervising inspector of house drainage.....	1 at	2,400
49. Statistician	1 at	1,200
50. Assistant chief clerk.....	1 at	1,300
51. Assistant clerk.....	2 at	1,200
52. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,000
53. Assistant clerk.....	3 at	900
54. Stenographer and type- writer	2 at	1,000
55. Stenographer and type- writer	2 at	900
56. Stenographer and type- writer	2 at	720
57. Sanitary inspector.....	1 at	1,500
58. House drainage inspector.	14 at	1,300
59. Assistant inspector.....	5 at	1,200
60. Assistant inspector.....	27 at	1,100
61. Assistant inspector.....	7 at	1,000
62. Messenger	2 at	480
63. Cleaner	2 at	360
64. Chief of division of child hygiene	1 at	3,000
65. Ophthalmologist	1 at	2,000
66. Assistant ophthalmologist	1 at	1,200
67. Attendant, eye dispensary	1 at	800
68. Medical inspector (woman)	1 at	1,000
69. Supervising nurse	1 at	1,200
70. City nurse	28 at	900
71. Stenographer and type- writer	1 at	720
72. Chief of dental dispensary	1 at	2,500
73. Assistant dentist.....	13 at	700
74. Attendant, dental dispen- sary	1 at	800
75. Chief inspector of milk...	1 at	1,900
76. Assistant inspector of milk	16 at	1,020

77. Chief meat and cattle inspector	1 at	1,350
78. Assistant meat and cattle inspector	7 at	1,000
79. Superintendent, Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases.....	1 at	3,000
80. Chief clerk.....	1 at	1,200
81. Chief resident physician..	1 at	3,000
82. First assistant resident physician	2 at	1,200
83. Second assistant resident physician	2 at	800
84. Supervising nurse	1 at	1,400
85. Head nurse	3 at	900
86. Head night nurse.....	2 at	780
87. Druggist	1 at	600
88. Butcher	1 at	900
89. Housekeeper	1 at	600
90. Chief engineer	1 at	1,800
91. Engineer	4 at	1,000
92. Foreman	1 at	1,000
93. Clerk	2 at	720
94. Plumber	1 at	1,100
95. Head laundryman	1 at	1,200
96. Mechanician and chauffeur	1 at	1,200
97. Chauffeur	4 at	900
A5. Personal services: fees for examiners (executing Plumbers' Registration Act), at \$5 per day		250
A6. Personal services: wages for relief of children in congested districts.....		1,800
A7. Personal services: salaries and wages for extra help: for pay of cooks, nurses, farmers, gardeners, drivers, firemen, painters, carpenters, plumbers, mechanics, disinfectors, electrical workers, telephone operators, coal passers, hostlers, assistant clerks, stenographers, oilers, miscellaneous helpers, cleaners, laboratory workers and laborers at Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases		80,000
11. Purchase and maintenance (including repairs) of automobiles, ambulances, wagons, etc.		13,500

12.	Board of horses, care of animals, horse-shoeing, veterinary services	1,000
13.	Relief of children in congested districts	10,000
14.	Abatement of nuisances and execution of orders under Act of June 11, 1915	35,000
15.	Gas for fuel	3,000
16.	Repairs and improvements to buildings, roads, grounds and machinery at the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases	10,000
17.	Transportation	5,660
18.	General expenses for the protection of the public health, postage, repairs, incidentals, burial of unclaimed bodies, services, supplies, apparatus, equipment, etc., not otherwise provided	20,000

BUREAU OF CHARITIES

A12. Personal services: regular employees, as listed\$220,622

1.	Superintendent (house and found)	1 at \$3,000
2.	Chief clerk.....	1 at 1,600
3.	Support clerk.....	1 at 1,600
4.	Children's agent.....	1 at 1,350
5.	Special agent	1 at 1,200
6.	Assistant special agent...	1 at 1,000
7.	Clerk	4 at 900
8.	Clerk	4 at 800
9.	House agent	1 at 1,400
10.	House agent's clerk.....	1 at 800
11.	Visitor	1 at 750
12.	Stenographer and type-writer	1 at 720
13.	Captain of the hall.....	1 at 600
14.	Doorkeeper	1 at 600
15.	Watchman	1 at 600
16.	Special officer	1 at 1,000
17.	Housekeeper	1 at 600
18.	Cook	1 at 720
19.	Assistant cook	1 at 420
20.	Messenger	2 at 420
21.	Messenger	2 at 300
22.	Assistant doorkeeper	1 at 300

23. Watchman	3 at	400
24. Head waitress.....	1 at	216
25. Waitress	4 at	192
26. Telephone operator.....	1 at	300
27. Messenger	1 at	360
28. Runner	1 at	180
29. Runner	1 at	120
30. Helper	1 at	192
31. Helper	1 at	168
32. Helper	1 at	144
33. Helper	2 at	84
34. Helper	3 at	60
35. Helper	1 at	48
36. Storekeeper	1 at	1,400
37. Storekeeper's clerk.....	1 at	1,000
38. Assistant storekeeper's clerk	1 at	850
39. Storekeeper's clerk.....	1 at	300
40. Storekeeper's clerk.....	1 at	180
41. Bookkeeper	1 at	480
42. Foreman of bakers.....	1 at	800
43. Baker	4 at	624
44. Butcher	1 at	300
45. Shoe repairer.....	1 at	216
46. Runner	1 at	120
47. Helper	1 at	120
48. Helper	2 at	216
49. Helper	1 at	60
50. Manager of laundry.....	1 at	1,200
51. Machine laundryman	1 at	600
52. Machine laundryman	3 at	360
53. Forewoman of laundry... 1 at		420
54. Forewoman of laundry... 1 at		216
55. Forewoman of laundry... 2 at		210
56. Laundress	4 at	240
57. Laundress	1 at	228
58. Laundress	1 at	212
59. Porter	1 at	300
60. Laundress	1 at	300
61. Laundress	2 at	192
62. Laundress	2 at	180
63. Helper	3 at	120
64. Helper	1 at	84
65. Helper	1 at	60
66. Helper	1 at	24
67. Foreman of ambulance ser- vice (house and found). 1 at		800
68. Chauffeur	2 at	900
69. Ambulance driver	4 at	720
70. Helper	3 at	60
71. Helper	3 at	48
72. Helper	1 at	36
73. Overseer of manufacturing 1 at		1,200
74. Bookkeeper	1 at	1,000
75. Chief engineer and elec- trician	1 at	1,500

76. Engineer	5 at	1,000
77. Fireman	4 at	480
78. Foreman of painters....	1 at	1,000
79. Foreman of carpenters...	1 at	1,000
80. Foreman of steamfitters..	1 at	800
81. Foreman of plumbers....	1 at	1,000
82. Foreman of tinsmiths....	1 at	1,000
83. Clerk and foreman of printers	1 at	1,000
84. Foreman of yard gang....	1 at	300
85. Gardener	1 at	500
86. Cook	1 at	720
87. Assistant cook	1 at	420
88. Gatekeeper	8 at	108
89. Draftsman	1 at	300
90. Printer's helper.....	2 at	216
91. Helper	2 at	144
92. Helper	1 at	120
93. Outdoor physician.....	33 at	540
94. Captain of out wards (Home for the Indigent, West Philadelphia).....	1 at	900
95. Farmer (house and found)	1 at	600
96. Caretaker (house and found)	1 at	720
97. Dining-room man.....	1 at	420
98. Watchman	2 at	480
99. Cook	1 at	420
100. Assistant cook.....	1 at	240
101. Matron	1 at	880
102. Matron	1 at	480
103. Attendant	3 at	480
104. Attendant (female).....	4 at	300
105. Attendant (female).....	3 at	144
106. Day assistant	1 at	240
107. Assistant night nurse....	1 at	420
108. Assistant cook.....	1 at	420
109. Chambermaid	1 at	216
110. Runner	1 at	180
111. Runner	1 at	120
112. Orderly	1 at	240
113. Chief engineer (Home for the Indigent, Holmes- burg)	1 at	1,200
114. Assistant engineer.....	2 at	1,000
115. Steward (house and found)	1 at	1,000
116. Engineer	1 at	1,000
117. Fireman	3 at	600
118. Physician (house and found)	1 at	720
119. Nurse	1 at	600
120. Clerk and stenographer...	1 at	600
121. Head laundryman	1 at	800
122. Cook	1 at	600
123. Baker	1 at	624

124. Attendant	1 at	600
125. Attendant	1 at	480
126. Attendant	1 at	420
127. Chief resident physician, Philadelphia General Hospital (house and found)	1 at	4,000
128. Assistant chief resident physician	1 at	1,500
129. Assistant resident phy- sician	3 at	720
130. Secretary to medical staff	1 at	100
131. Hospital clerk.....	1 at	700
132. Hospital clerk.....	2 at	480
133. Hospital clerk.....	1 at	360
134. Director, pathological and bacteriological labora- tory	1 at	1,000
135. Assistant, pathological and bacteriological labora- tory	1 at	720
136. Director, Roentgen-ray laboratory	1 at	500
137. Operator, Roentgen-ray laboratory	1 at	1,000
138. Chief nurse	1 at	1,400
139. Assistant chief nurse.....	1 at	900
140. Second assistant chief nurse	1 at	720
141. Supply nurse.....	1 at	720
142. Dietitian	1 at	1,200
143. Assistant dietitian	1 at	900
144. Anesthetist	1 at	900
145. Housekeeper	1 at	720
146. Head cook	1 at	720
147. Assistant cook	1 at	480
148. Assistant cook	1 at	240
149. Instructor of children....	1 at	480
150. Special officer.....	1 at	480
151. Apothecary	1 at	1,200
152. First assistant apothecary	1 at	800
153. Second assistant apothe- cary	1 at	700
154. Third assistant apothecary	1 at	600
155. Night clerk.....	1 at	500
156. Cook	1 at	240
157. Runner	1 at	180
158. Runner	2 at	120
159. Helper	3 at	144
160. Helper	3 at	120
161. Head nurse, 24 at not exceeding		600
162. Pupil nurse	150 at	108
163. Assistant female nurse...	3 at	216
164. Assistant male nurse....	3 at	216
165. Assistant male nurse....	1 at	120
166. Waitress	12 at	192

167. Stretcher bearer	6 at	108
168. Male cleaner	12 at	216
169. Female cleaner	20 at	144
170. Clerk	1 at	288
171. Chief resident physician, in sane department (house and found)	1 at	2,700
172. Assistant physician	2 at	1,000
173. Assistant physician	2 at	800
174. Clinical assistant physician	1 at	740
175. Clinical assistant physician	1 at	700
176. Clinical assistant physician	2 at	600
177. Stenographer and clerk...	1 at	720
178. Stenographer	2 at	600
179. Stenographer	1 at	540
180. Stenographer	1 at	480
181. Hospital clerk	1 at	500
182. Storekeeper	1 at	396
183. Office assistant	1 at	360
184. Laboratory worker	1 at	360
185. Male supervisor	1 at	900
186. Female supervisor	1 at	900
187. Massage instructor	1 at	500
188. Musical instructor	1 at	420
189. Teacher	1 at	300
190. Housekeeper	1 at	600
191. Cook	1 at	720
192. Assistant cook	1 at	600
193. Assistant cook	1 at	500
194. Barber	2 at	360
195. Runner	1 at	120
196. Tailor	1 at	300
197. Attendant male physician at Byberry (house and found)	1 at	1,200
198. Assistant physician at By- berry	1 at	800
199. Attendant	4 at	600
200. Attendant	6 at	480
201. Farmer, Byberry farms (house and found)	1 at	1,200
202. Clerk, male	1 at	800
203. Chauffeur	1 at	900
204. Special officer	2 at	800
205. Cook	1 at	720
206. Assistant cook	2 at	500
207. Baker	1 at	624
208. Engineer	1 at	600
209. Fireman	3 at	480
210. Assistant farmer (house and found)	2 at	720
211. Dairyman	1 at	600

A13. Personal services: wages, employees,
manufacturing, as listed 90,000

1. Bricklayers	at \$3 80 per day	
2. Plasterers	at 3 60 per day	
3. Stonemasons	at 4 00 per day	
4. Machinists	at 3 50 per day	
5. Carpenters	at 3 20 per day	
6. Blacksmiths	at 3 20 per day	
7. Electricians	at 3 20 per day	
8. Electricians' helpers	at 2 25 per day	
9. Painters	at 3 00 per day	
10. Steamfitters	at 3 00 per day	
11. Plumbers	at 3 00 per day	
12. Tinsmiths	at 2 80 per day	
13. Laborers	at 2 50 per day	
14. Laborers	at 2 25 per day	
15. Laborers	at 2 00 per day	
16. Laborers	at 1 92 per day	
17. Laborers	at 1 75 per day	
18. Laborers	at 1 32 per day	
19. Laborers	at 1 00 per day	
A14. Personal services: helpers, manufactur- ing		1,440
A15. Personal services: helpers, Home for the Indigent, West Philadelphia....		1,536
A16. Personal services: petty payroll, Holmesburg		2,200
A17. Personal services: orderlies, Philadel- phia General Hospital, 34 at not ex- ceeding \$300		7,344
A18. Personal services: attendants, Philadel- phia General Hospital, 40 at not ex- ceeding \$600		14,000
A19. Personal services: helpers, Philadelphia General Hospital		2,220
A20. Personal services: fees for course in diet cooking, Philadelphia General Hospi- tal		360
A21. Personal services: examination of insane cases, Philadelphia General Hospital		2,800
A22. Personal services: helpers, insane de- partment		712
A23. Personal services: attendants' payroll, insane department		80,000

A24.	Personal services: attendants for insane at Byberry, 38 at not exceeding \$360	12,800
A25.	Personal services: farmers, Byberry farms	8,000
A26.	Personal services: helpers, Byberry farms	1,380
28.	Gas for fuel	3,000
29.	Removal of ashes	2,000
30.	Traveling expenses of house agent....	600
31.	Maintenance (including repairs) of automobiles, automobile trucks, ambulances, etc.	3,800
32.	Horseshoeing and repairs to wagons, harness and farming implements....	3,000
33.	Repairing shoes	1,000
34.	Repairs to surgical instruments	2,000
35.	Repairs, etc., to laundry, engines, boilers, toilets, roofs, including new spouting	6,200
36.	Maintenance of orthopædic department, apparatus and instruments	1,000
37.	Erection of tents or shacks for measles, whooping-cough and consumption ..	1,000
38.	Water supply: (<i>Provided</i> , The Director of the Department of Health and Charities is hereby authorized to purchase and contract for a supply of water from the Holmesburg and Diston Water Company, for the Home for Indigent, for the year 1917, without advertising)	6,000
39.	Support of feeble-minded children at training school for feeble-minded at Elwyn, or elsewhere	35,000
40.	Maintenance of children in various homes, as directed by the Act of Assembly of June 13, 1883	21,500

41.	Temporary provisions for homeless persons	1,000
42.	Maintaining at home of aged veterans and wives, Sixty-fifth and Vine streets, veterans of the War of the Rebellion, and their wives, who are now or may hereafter be in the Home for the Indigent, said amount to be paid quarterly	2,500
43.	Care of foundlings	2,500
44.	Care and maintenance of the insane in the State Hospital for the Insane, Southeastern District of Pennsylvania, Norristown, and other institutions for the insane: <i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller may countersign warrants for bills incurred during 1916	275,000
45.	Fireproof stairway, hospital department	3,000
46.	Sanitary flooring, insane department..	1,000
47.	Sanitary flooring, hospital department.	1,000
48.	Improvement of water supply, Holmsburg	3,000
49.	Purchase of automobile ambulances and automobile trucks	6,000
50.	Repairs, etc., to Roentgen-ray apparatus	1,000
51.	Cooking and serving outfit	1,500
52.	Special and miscellaneous services other than personal	3,500

Provided, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interest of the city, to contract, without advertising, bills for the various bureaus not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

Provided, That the Department of Public Health and Charities, in the selection of its employees, is directed to prefer in its appointment honorably discharged soldiers and sailors.

PUBLIC SAFETY

SECT. 25. The sum of seven million, nine hundred and nineteen thousand nine hundred and twenty-two (7,919,922) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Safety, as follows:

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

A1. Personal services: regular employees,
as listed \$27,800

1. Director	1 at	\$10,000
2. Assistant director	1 at	4,000
3. Secretary	1 at	2,400
4. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,000
5. Clerk or stenographer...	3 at	1,200
6. Chauffeur	1 at	1,000
7. Stenographer and type- writer	3 at	900
8. Messenger	1 at	1,100
9. Messenger	1 at	1,000

1. Transportation and communication
service 2,000

2. Uniforms, 2 at \$40 each..... 80

3. Maintenance of automobiles..... 2,500

4. Horse watering stations, Women's
Pennsylvania Society for the Pre-
vention of Cruelty to Animals; (*Pro-
vided*, That this appropriation shall
be paid in monthly instalments to
the Women's Pennsylvania Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty to
Animals, during the months of July,
August and September)..... 2,500

5. Maintenance of Home for the Protec-
tion of Colored Women: (*Provided*,
That this appropriation shall be paid
to the Association for the Protection
of Colored Women in monthly in-
stalments) 1,200

6. Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions, supplies, equipment, etc.)
not otherwise provided for..... 100

BUREAU OF POLICE

- A4. Personal services: regular employees,
as listed\$144,360

1. Superintendent	1	at	\$4,500
2. Secretary	1	at	2,000
3. Chief clerk.....	1	at	1,900
4. First assistant clerk.....	1	at	1,200
5. Second assistant clerk....	1	at	1,200
6. Stenographer	1	at	1,200
7. Assistant clerk to superin- tendent	1	at	1,800
8. Record clerk	1	at	1,600
9. Messenger	1	at	1,000
10. Storehouse clerk	1	at	900
11. Driver of supply wagon...	1	at	750
12. Captain of detectives....	1	at	2,500
13. Lieutenant of detectives..	1	at	2,200
14. Clerk or stenographer to detectives	1	at	1,600
15. Complaint clerk or sten- ographer	1	at	1,200
16. Detective	29	at	1,700
17. Photographer	1	at	1,600
18. Assistant protographer ...	1	at	1,200
19. Pilot	12	at	1,250
20. Engineer	9	at	1,200
21. Deck laborer.....	3	at	720
22. Fireman	10	at	1,000
23. Fire marshal.....	1	at	2,500
24. Assistant fire marshal....	2	at	2,000
25. Assistant fire marshal....	2	at	1,600
26. Clerk or stenographer to fire marshal.....	1	at	1,000
27. Fire escape inspector....	10	at	1,200
28. Surgeon	1	at	4,000
29. Stenographer or clerk....	1	at	1,100
30. Stenographer	1	at	950

- A5. Personal services: regular employees,
as listed: (*Provided*, That Section 5
of the ordinance approved February
28, 1856, shall not apply to this item) 627,660

1. Captain	6	at	\$2,100
2. Lieutenant	47	at	1,800
3. Street sergeant.....	118	at	1,400
4. House sergeant.....	134	at	1,200

5. Patrol sergeant.....	70 at	1,200
6. Matron	1 at	720
7. Police matron.....	23 at	650
8. Van driver	6 at	900
9. Lieutenant of City Hall guards	2 at	1,400
10. City Hall guard.....	68 at	2 50 per day
11. Superintendent of horses.	1 at	1,800
12. Assistant superintendent of horses.....	1 at	800
13. Drillmaster	1 at	1,800
14. Riding instructor.....	1 at	1,800
15. Clerk at central station...	1 at	1,700
16. Hostler	37 at	720

A6. Personal services: patrolmen, 2,960, and substitute patrolmen, 250: (*Provided*, That all patrolmen sworn in during the year 1917 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.50 per day; all sworn in during the year 1916 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.65 per day; all sworn in during the year 1915 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.75 per day; all sworn in during the year 1914 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.85 per day; all sworn in prior to 1914 and in continuous service in the Department shall be paid at the rate of \$3 per day; substitute patrolmen to be paid at the rate of \$2.25 per day: *Provided*, The Director shall be allowed, when in his judgment he deems it necessary, to detail substitute patrolmen for quarantine purposes: *Provided*, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item)..... 3,380,893 50

A7. Personal services: cleaners: (*Provided*, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item: *Provided*, That in the employment of cleaners, widows of patrolmen shall be given preference)..... 17,784

AS. Personal services: medical attendance. 15,000

Provided, In the Bureau of Police one warrant is to be drawn in favor of the lieutenant of each district for the pay of all employees in the Bureau of Police in his district.

Provided, That such employees shall give a warrant of attorney in favor of the lieutenant empowering him to collect their pay.

15.	Uniforms	155,660
16.	Transportation of persons and things (including removal of ashes).....	16,000
17.	Maintenance (including repairs) to automobiles, automobile patrols, pa- trol wagons, motoreycles, bicycles and wagons	10,000
18.	Maintenance (including repairs) of boats	6,000
19.	Horseshoeing: (<i>Provided</i> , That war- rants may be countersigned on this item upon the approval of the bills by the Director, without advertising: <i>Provided</i> , That the work shall be given only to those who pay the union rate of wages).....	33,000
20.	Keep and pasturing of horses.....	6,000
21.	Advertising	500
22.	Repairs to badges, batons, belts, etc...	500
23.	Repairs to harness	700
24.	Repairs to furniture	800
25.	Repairs and expense of van service....	500
26.	Repairs to police and patrol houses...	5,000
27.	Repairs to stoves and steam heaters...	1,000
28.	Maintenance of printing press.....	1,000
29.	Annual dues of superintendent in the National Bureau of Identification and Association of Chiefs of Police.	108

30.	Rent of patrol station, 307 DeLancey street	800
31.	Rent of patrol station, Twenty-second and York streets	800
32.	Rent of stable, Eleventh and Cambria streets	900
33.	Water rent	209
34.	Communication service	3,000
35.	Expenses incurred in providing medicines and general provisions for houses under quarantine	100
36.	Meals for prisoners	3,500
37.	Erection of street signs	500
38.	Pensions and retirement salaries, Police Pension Fund: (<i>Provided</i> , That no part of this money shall be used in the payment of any pensioner who is in receipt of an income from any government employment whatsoever: <i>Provided</i> , That the members of the Bureau of Police shall not seek to sell, offer for sale, dispose of, or cause to be offered or placed on sale for disposal, benefit tickets of any kind whatsoever for the purpose of increasing the funds of the Police Pension Fund. The Annual Police Carnival may be held. The same may be advertised and tickets of admission thereto placed on sale under the discretion and management of the Secretary of the Police Pension Fund Association, subject to the approval of the Director of Public Safety; otherwise this appropriation to be void: <i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller shall countersign no warrant against this item until Councils	

	shall have representation on the Board of Directors)	60,000
39.	Payment to hospitals for ambulance service, as follows: German, Episcopal, St. Joseph's, Methodist Episcopal, Jewish, Women's, Presbyterian, University, St. Agnes and Jefferson Med. College, \$750 each; Germantown, St. Mary's, Medico-Chirurgical, Children's, St. Timothy, Hahnemann, Samaritan, Children's Homeopathic, St. Christopher's, St. Luke's, Mt. Sinai, Polyclinic, West Philadelphia Homeopathic, West Philadelphia Women's, Douglas, Chestnut Hill, Women's Southern Homeopathic, Stetson, Roosevelt, Frankford, Northwestern General, Mercy, Garretson and Women's Homœopathic, \$375 each.....	16,500
40.	Women's Penna. S. P. C. A. for taking stray animals and killing them..	8,000
41.	Towards purchase, for Women's Penna. S. P. C. A., of a motor-driven vehicle for collecting stray animals...	1,000
42.	Morris Refuge Association	5,000
43.	Purchase of motor boats	10,000
44.	Purchase of automobile patrols.....	10,000
45.	Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions, supplies, equipment, etc.) not otherwise provided for.....	1,000

BUREAU OF FIRE

A14.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$65,080
	1. Chief engineer..... 1 at \$4,500	
	2. Fire inspector..... 1 at 4,500	
	3. Deputy chief engineer.... 1 at 3,000	
	4. Secretary	1 at 1,600

5. Storehouse clerk	1 at	1,200
6. Assistant clerk or stenographer	1 at	1,000
7. Stenographer and typewriter	1 at	900
8. Telephone operator.....	3 at	1,000
9. Messenger	1 at	800
10. Watchman	1 at	740
11. Driver of supply wagon...	1 at	1,000
12. Cleaner	1 at	540
13. Veterinary surgeon.....	1 at	2,000
14. Assistant veterinary surgeon	1 at	1,200
15. Superintendent of repair shop	1 at	1,800
16. Assistant superintendent of repair shop.....	1 at	1,200
17. Machinist	9 at	1,000
18. Blacksmith	1 at	1,100
19. Blacksmith	3 at	1,000
20. Helper	6 at	800
21. Wheelwright	5 at	1,000
22. Plumber and gas fitter...	2 at	1,100
23. Boilermaker	1 at	1,000
24. Carpenter	4 at	1,000
25. Patternmaker	1 at	1,000
26. Painter	5 at	1,000

A15. Personal services: regular employees, as listed: (*Provided*, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item) 494,750

1. Battalion chief	11 at	\$2,000
2. Captain	77 at	1,400
3. Lieutenant	79 at	1,250
4. Steam engineer.....	59 at	1,200
5. Fireman	61 at	1,100
6. Driver	97 at	1,100
7. Tillerman	18 at	1,200

A16. Personal services: hoseman or ladder-man, 646: (*Provided*, That all hosemen and laddermen serving two years or less shall be paid \$900 each per annum; all hosemen and laddermen serving from two to four years shall be paid \$1,000 each per annum; all hosemen and laddermen serving over four years shall be paid \$1,100 each per annum: *Provided*, That the first

	year of service of hosemen and laddermen shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next succeeding their appointment: <i>Provided</i> , That Section 5 of the ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item)	680,088
A17.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	24,872
	1. Cleaner 3 at \$35 per month	
	2. Cleaner 90 at 25 per month	
	3. Cleaner 7 at 18 per month	
55.	Uniforms	42,945
56.	Transportation and subsistence.....	350
57.	Removal of ashes	600
58.	Shoeing and pasturing animals: (<i>Provided</i> , That warrants for horseshoeing may be countersigned on this item on the approval of the bills by the Director, without advertising: <i>Provided</i> , Said horseshoeing shall be given to those who pay the union rate of wages)	16,000
59.	Gas for stations from Northern Liberty Gas Company and from House of Correction	150
60.	Gas for fuel for headquarters.....	150
61.	Repairs and maintenance of automobiles	2,000
62.	Repairs to fire apparatus and rebuilding apparatus and maintenance of electric fire apparatus	3,750
63.	Repairs to harness	150
64.	Repairs to fire houses	2,500
65.	Repairs to stoves and steam heaters...	1,250
66.	Rent of fire house, Tenth and Hunter streets	2,300
67.	Rent of fire house, Fox Chase	1,000

68. Rent of fire house, 2003-05 North Second street 1,500
69. Firemen's Pension Fund: (*Provided*, That no part of this money shall be used in the payment of any pensioner who is in receipt of an income from any governmental employment whatever: *Provided*, That members of the Bureau of Fire shall not seek to sell, offer for sale, dispose of, or cause to be offered or placed on sale for disposal, benefit tickets of any kind whatever for the purpose of increasing the funds of the Firemen's Pension Fund; otherwise this appropriation to be void: *Provided*, That the City Controller shall countersign no warrants against this item until Councils shall have representation on the board of directors) 18,000
70. Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions, supplies, equipment, etc.), not otherwise provided for.... 700

Provided, In the Bureau of Fire one warrant is to be drawn in favor of the captain of each company for the payment of all employees of the Bureau of Fire in his company.

Provided, That such employees shall give a warrant of attorney in favor of the captain empowering him to collect their pay.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU

- A22. Personal services: regular employees, as listed \$121,290
1. Chief of electrical bureau. 1 at \$6,000
 2. First assistant manager... 1 at 2,200
 3. Bookkeeper 1 at 1,200
 4. Draftsman 1 at 1,100
 5. Clerk or stenographer.... 1 at 900
 6. Foreman (storekeeper)... 1 at 1,000
 7. Payroll clerk..... 1 at 1,100

8. Stenographer and secretary	1 at	1,200
9. Messenger	1 at	800
10. Janitress	2 at	250
11. Chief line inspector.....	1 at	1,700
12. Chief inspector of electrical lighting.....	1 at	1,500
13. Inspector	2 at	1,300
14. Electrician	1 at	1,400
15. Permit clerk	1 at	1,100
16. Wireman	2 at	1,000
17. Assistant inspector of electric lighting.....	1 at	1,300
18. Wireman	8 at	1,000
19. Chief engineer (superintendent of heat, light and power plant, City Hall)	1 at	1,800
20. Assistant engineer	3 at	1,460
21. Dynamoman	3 at	1,200
22. Chief operator (superintendent of fire alarm and telephone system)..	1 at	1,700
23. Supervisor operator	1 at	1,260
24. Operator (fire alarm and telephone)	29 at	1,200
25. Assistant chief.....	1 at	3,000
26. Manager	1 at	2,750
27. Inspector (superintendent of underground construction)	1 at	1,500
28. Inspector	1 at	1,400
29. Inspector	8 at	1,300
30. Plumber	1 at	1,400
31. Plumber	3 at	1,200
32. Lineman	11 at	1,100
33. Wireman	1 at	1,000
34. Batteryman	1 at	1,000

A23. Personal services: wages, regular employees, as listed..... 10,000

1. Purchasing agent.....	1 at	\$3 00 per day
2. Assistant draftsman.....	1 at	3 00 per day
3. Stenographer	2 at	3 00 per day
4. Laborer (janitor).....	1 at	3 00 per day
5. Laborer (janitor).....	1 at	2 50 per day
6. Laborer (storekeeper)....	1 at	3 00 per day
7. Laborer (storekeeper)....	1 at	2 50 per day
8. Laborer (storekeeper's assistant)	2 at	3 00 per day

A24. Personal services: temporary help, including clerical service 939

- A25. Personal services: wages, laborer, 3 at
\$3 per day 1,878
- A26. Personal services: wages, regular em-
ployees, as listed 13,875
1. Laborer 6 at \$3 00 per day
 2. Laborer 2 at 2 75 per day
 3. Laborer 21 at 2 50 per day
 4. Driver 1 at 2 50 per day
- A27. Personal services: wages, regular em-
ployees, as listed \$2,000
1. Engineer 3 at \$4 50 per day
 2. Pumpman 7 at 3 00 per day
 3. Fireman 21 at 2 75 per day
 4. Coal passer..... 6 at 2 50 per day
 5. Laborer 9 at 2 50 per day
 6. Superintendent of elevator
service 1 at 5 00 per day
 7. Foreman 1 at 5 00 per day
 8. Starter 5 at 3 00 per day
 9. Operator 42 at 2 75 per day
 10. Laborer (operator) 2 at 2 50 per day
- A28. Personal services: laborer (repairing),
5 at \$2.50 per day 3,130
- A29. Personal services: wages, regular em-
ployees, as listed 4,563 75
1. Laborer 1 at \$3 50 per day
 2. Laborer 1 at 2 75 per day
 3. Laborer 4 at 2 50 per day
- A30. Personal services: apprentices, as listed 3,240
1. Apprentice, first year..... 2 at \$360
 2. Apprentice, second year.. 2 at 540
 3. Apprentice, third year.... 2 at 720
- A31. Personal services: wages, regular em-
ployees, as listed 45,000
1. Bricklayer 1 at \$5 00 per day
 2. Electrical machinist 2 at 3 25 per day
 3. Laborer (plumber)..... 1 at 3 00 per day
 4. Laborer (carpenter)..... 1 at 4 40 per day
 5. Foreman 1 at 3 00 per day
 6. Climber 5 at 3 00 per day
 7. Groundsman 7 at 2 50 per day
 8. Driver 6 at 2 50 per day
 9. Laborer 6 at 3 00 per day
 10. Laborer 28 at 2 50 per day

A32.	Personal services: additional construction gang	21,500
80.	Transportation of persons and things ..	8,500
81.	Subsistence of persons	500
82.	Advertising	500
83.	Uniforms, 108 at \$40 each	4,320
84.	Electric arc lighting: (<i>Provided</i> , That no electric lights shall be located or re-located without authority of Councils)	1,273,837 50
85.	Electric lighting, recreation centers....	7,000
86.	Incandescent current	26,000
87.	Repairs and maintenance of elevator service and power plant	4,500
88.	Rearrangement of power plant and elevator system	8,600
89.	Telephone service from telephone companies	60,900
90.	Improvements, additions, equipment of fire alarm system	10,000
91.	Manhole covers and extension of underground system	5,000
92.	Maintenance of automobiles	3,000
93.	Special and miscellaneous service other than personal, including painting poles, yard arms, etc.	5,000
94.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	7,300

BUREAU OF CORRECTION

A36.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$91,435
	1. Superintendent (with board)	1 at \$2,500
	2. Master warden (with board)	1 at 1,500
	3. Bookkeeper	1 at 1,400
	4. Assistant bookkeeper.....	1 at 1,000

5. Second assistant book-keeper	1 at	720
6. Miscellaneous clerk.....	1 at	800
7. Captain of the guards (with board).....	1 at	1,400
8. Lieutenant of the guards (with board).....	1 at	1,300
9. Resident physician (with board)	1 at	1,200
10. Apothecary (with board)..	1 at	720
11. Male nurse (with board)..	1 at	400
12. Chief engineer (with board)	1 at	1,000
13. Chief cook (with board)..	1 at	900
14. Assistant cook (with board)	1 at	500
15. Female nurse (with board)	1 at	360
16. Matron (with board).....	1 at	675
17. Assistant matron (with board)	9 at	360
18. Guard	50 at	1,000
19. Sub-guard	5 at	800
20. Wagon driver (guard)....	1 at	1,000
21. Storekeeper	1 at	1,200
22. Visiting physician.....	1 at	900
23. Assistant engineer.....	5 at	900
24. Foreman, gas works.....	1 at	1,100
25. Foreman of department..	7 at	900
26. Farmer	1 at	800
27. Moral instructor and teacher	1 at	1,000
28. Lamplighter	3 at	300
29. Organist	1 at	120
A37. Personal services: services of veterinary surgeon		25
105. Repairs to buildings, elevators, gas apparatus, furniture, fixtures and other equipment		5,100
106. Advertising, transportation, communication service		850
107. Uniforms, 2 at \$50 each and 61 at \$40 each		2,540
108. Power for electric elevator.....		250
109. Water rent: (<i>Provided</i> , The Director of the Department of Public Safety is hereby authorized to purchase and contract for a supply of water from the Holmesburg and Disston Water		

	Company, for the House of Correction, for the year 1917, without advertising)	6,000
110.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	25

BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION

A40.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$72,520
	1. Chief inspector..... 1 at \$4,500	
	2. Deputy chief..... 1 at 2,600	
	3. Chief clerk..... 1 at 1,600	
	4. Record clerk..... 1 at 1,200	
	5. Clerk 2 at 1,100	
	6. Clerk and stenographer... 1 at 1,000	
	7. Assistant clerk and stenographer 1 at 900	
	8. Messenger 1 at 720	
	9. Janitress 1 at 300	
	10. Inspector engineer..... 1 at 2,500	
	11. Assistant inspector engineer 1 at 2,000	
	12. Engineer inspector, reinforced concrete construction 1 at 2,500	
	13. Engineer of construction. 1 at 2,500	
	14. Inspector 24 at 2,000	
A41.	Personal services: laborer (clerk), 1 at \$3 per day	939
116.	Postage and miscellaneous services....	200
117.	Removing dangerous buildings.....	500
118.	Transportation, horse keep and automobile maintenance	10,000

BUREAU OF STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER INSPECTION

A44.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$18,816
	1. Chief inspector..... 1 at \$3,000	
	2. Assistant inspector..... 6 at 1,300	
	3. Chief clerk..... 1 at 1,300	
	4. Assistant clerk..... 1 at 900	
	5. Registering clerk..... 1 at 900	

6. Smoke inspector.....	2 at	1,200
7. Messenger and clerk.....	1 at	800
8. Driver	1 at	800
9. Stenographer and type- writer	1 at	700
10. Janitor	1 at	216
122. Transportation, postage, subsistence, care of animals		1,200
123. Maintenance (including repairs) of automobiles and other vehicles, and storage of same		1,200

BUREAU OF ELEVATOR INSPECTION

A47. Personal services: regular employees, as listed		\$36,660
1. Chief inspector.....	1 at	\$3,500
2. Deputy inspector.....	1 at	2,000
3. Inspector	4 at	1,200
4. Inspector	20 at	1,000
5. Clerk	3 at	1,100
6. Clerk	1 at	1,000
7. Stenographer	1 at	1,000
8. Messenger	1 at	700
9. Cleaner for offices.....	1 at	360

128. Transportation, postage and stationery.	1,200
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The Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interest of the city, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of \$500 each.

All bids shall be opened and all contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee of Councils having supervision.

The money appropriated for uniforms in this department shall be paid to each man.

Warrants for the Director's office and the Bureaus of Police, Correction and Fire shall be drawn by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and all other warrants by the chiefs of the respective Bureaus, and shall be approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety in conformity with existing ordinances.

Provided, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that none but American citizens have been employed on the work, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of Councils, entitled "An Ordinance for the employment of American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved by the Mayor, December 15, 1896.

PUBLIC WORKS

SECT. 26. The sum of eight million one hundred and forty-one thousand six hundred and eighty-four (8,141,684) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works, as follows:

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

A1. Personal services: regular employees,			
as listed			\$42,380
1. Director	1 at	\$10,000	
2. Assistant director	1 at	4,000	
3. General inspector.....	1 at	2,500	
4. Special inspector.....	1 at	2,500	
5. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,500	
6. Paymaster	1 at	1,500	
7. Assistant paymaster....	1 at	1,200	
8. Paymaster's clerk	2 at	1,100	
9. Clerk	2 at	900	
10. Clerk	1 at	1,500	
11. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,200	
12. Chauffeur	2 at	1,000	
13. Stenographer and clerk..	1 at	1,100	
14. Stenographer and type-			
writer	2 at	900	
15. Messenger	1 at	900	
16. Messenger	1 at	720	
17. Office boy	1 at	360	
18. Telephone switchboard			
operator	1 at	600	
19. Janitress	1 at	600	
20. Secretary, Permanent			
Committee on Compre-			
hensive Plans	1 at	2,500	
21. Stenographer or clerk...	1 at	900	
1. Transportation, carriage, cab and motor			
vehicle hire			500

2.	Communication service, advertising and publication of notices	500
3.	Annual membership fee in organization of city officials for standardizing paving specifications	20
4.	Storage, care and repair of automobiles, automobile licenses	1,000
5.	Miscellaneous services, repairs to office equipment, meals, etc.	900

BUREAU OF GAS

A4.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$9,500
	1. Inspector	1 at \$5,000
	2. Assistant inspector of meters	1 at 1,200
	3. Assistant inspector of meters	1 at 900
	4. Clerk and assistant inspector	1 at 900
	5. Photometer inspector.....	1 at 750
	6. Messenger and assistant inspector of meters	1 at 750
A5.	Personal services: cleaning rooms.....	180
11.	Carfare, postage and miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for....	320

BUREAU OF LIGHTING

A8.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$8,100
	1. Chief of bureau.....	1 at \$2,000
	2. Chief clerk.....	1 at 1,200
	3. Clerk	1 at 900
	4. Inspector	4 at 1,000
A9.	Personal services: cleaning offices.....	90
16.	Transportation, maintenance, storage, repair and care of vehicles; communication service, advertising and miscellaneous	2,000

17. Incandescent lighting—naphtha lamps:
(*Provided*, Each lamp shall be fifty
(50) candle power: *Provided*, No
naphtha lamp shall be located on any
street where gas mains are laid, and
no naphtha lamp shall be located or
relocated without authority of Coun-
cils) 435,000
18. Incandescent lighting (naphtha lamps)
of not less than fifty (50) candle
power, in the outlying parts of the
city where gas mains are now or may
hereafter be laid 5,000
19. Incandescent lighting (naphtha lamps),
additional lights 10,000
20. Additional incandescent naphtha lamps,
all new posts to be furnished at the
rate of \$7.50 each: (*Provided*, No
new naphtha lamps shall be located
without resolution of Councils) 4,000
21. Lighting Northern Liberties District.. 1,334
22. Incandescent gas lighting (naphtha
lamps altered and connected with its
mains, at the same locations, by the
United Gas Improvement Company),
in addition to the public gas lighting
furnished without charge under the
agreement between the city and the
company dated November 12, 1897. 225,000
23. Relocating incandescent gas lamp posts
(previously altered from naphtha
lamps to gas lamps) when ordered by
the Director of the Department of
Public Works, cost not to exceed six-
teen (16) dollars per post 1,000
24. New posts for incandescent gas lamps
to replace defective posts of similar
design and weight, to be furnished
at the rate of nine (9) dollars each. 1,500

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS

A12. Personal services: regular employees,
as listed\$252,610

1. Chief of bureau.....	1 at	\$6,000
2. Assistant engineer	2 at	4,000
3. Assistant engineer	1 at	3,000
4. Assistant engineer	1 at	2,500
5. Assistant engineer	2 at	2,100
6. Assistant engineer	3 at	1,800
7. Inspector	4 at	1,500
8. Inspector	4 at	1,300
9. Stenographer or clerk	1 at	1,100
10. Stenographer or clerk	2 at	900
11. Stenographer or clerk	1 at	720
12. Telephone operator.....	1 at	600
13. Chauffeur	4 at	1,000
14. Messenger	1 at	900
15. Messenger	1 at	800
16. Janitress	1 at	480
17. Janitress	1 at	300
18. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,800
19. Assistant chief clerk.....	1 at	2,000
20. Clerk	2 at	1,800
21. Clerk	5 at	1,400
22. Clerk	1 at	1,200
23. Clerk	2 at	1,100
24. Clerk	2 at	1,000
25. Clerk or stenographer....	1 at	1,000
26. Clerk	3 at	900
27. Stenographer or clerk....	2 at	720
28. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	2,100
29. Clerk	1 at	1,200
30. Clerk	1 at	900
31. Chief draftsman.....	1 at	1,500
32. Draftsman	2 at	1,200
33. Draftsman	7 at	950
34. Draftsman	3 at	800
35. Clerk	1 at	900
36. Janitress	1 at	180
37. Assistant engineer	8 at	2,500
38. Assistant engineer	1 at	1,800
39. Inspector	8 at	1,500
40. Typewriter or clerk.....	8 at	720
41. Yard watchman.....	8 at	720
42. Inspector	56 at	1,300
43. Assistant engineer	1 at	2,500
44. Assistant engineer	1 at	2,100
45. Assistant engineer	1 at	1,500
46. Inspector	3 at	1,300
47. Draftsman	1 at	1,000
48. Clerk	3 at	900
49. Stenographer or clerk....	1 at	720

50. Drawbridge operator.....	9	at	1,000
51. Gateman operator.....	18	at	720
52. Watchman	2	at	720
53. Entomologist	1	at	1,500

A13. Personal services: inspectors (when employed) at \$82.50 and \$100 per month 78,000

A14. Personal services: wages for repairing, resurfacing and all kinds of maintenance work on all classes of streets and roads, for men when employed, as listed 432,000

1. Foreman	at	\$100 00	per month
2. Roller engineer	at	100 00	per month
3. Assistant foreman	at	3 00	per day
4. Leader paver.....	at	4 25	per day
5. Paver	at	3 75	per day
6. Stationary engineer.....	at	3 75	per day
7. Rammer	at	3 25	per day
8. Raker	at	2 50	per day
9. Joiner	at	2 50	per day
10. Watchman	at	2 00	per day
11. Laborer	at	2 00	per day

A15. Personal services: wages for repairing sewers and inlets, for men when employed, as listed 55,000

1. Foreman	at	\$100 00	per month
2. Sewer constructor	at	5 00	per day
3. Assistant foreman	at	3 00	per day
4. Laborer	at	2 50	per day
5. Laborer	at	2 00	per day

A16. Personal services: wages for repairs to meadowbanks and watercourses, for men when employed, as listed 18,000

1. Foreman	at	\$4 00	per day
2. Carpenter	at	3 60	per day
3. Assistant foreman	at	3 00	per day
4. Laborer	at	2 00	per day

A17. Personal services: wages for repairs to bridges, for men when employed, as listed 50,000

1. Foreman	at	\$100 00	per month
2. Bridge constructor.....	at	3 60	per day
3. Ironworker	at	4 50	per day
4. Stone mason.....	at	4 00	per day

5. Painter	at	3 60 per day
6. Laborer	at	2 50 per day
7. Laborer	at	2 00 per day
A18. Personal services: laborers, when employed, at \$2 per day		10,000
A19. Personal services: watchmen at Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets along the line of Oregon avenue: (<i>Provided</i> , That payment be made upon presentation of bills by the Schuylkill River East Side Railroad—Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company)		4,800
33. Transportation, communication service, advertising, meals, traveling expenses		16,000
34. Storage, care and repair of automobiles and motoreycles; also licenses for same		3,800
35. Hire of teams, motor trucks and other hauling equipment		130,000
36. Hire of equipment with or without operatives		20,000
37. Repairs to equipment, tools, etc.....		750
38. Horseshoeing, board, stabling and care of animals and vehicles		4,000
39. Sprinkling macadam and dirt roads...		20,000
40. Grading, curbing and paving in front of city and non-assessable property..		10,000
41. Rent of district offices, yards and meadowbanks storage locations		6,880
42. Cleaning and sprinkling of streets...		2,002,900
43. Removal of ashes and house waste....		709,890
44. Removal and disposal of garbage and dead animals.....		432,000
45. Removal of snow and ice.....		45,000
46. Repairing, repaving, resurfacing and all kinds of maintenance work on all		

	classes of streets and roads by contract or otherwise	535,000
47.	Repairing breaks made in footways for municipal purposes and around fire plugs, and repaving footways and re-setting curb in front of city and non-assessable properties	6,000
48.	Repairs to meadowbanks and water-courses by contract or open market order	25,000
49.	Repairs to and painting bridges by contract or open market order	100,000
50.	Removing illegal encroachments other than those arising from grading....	2,500
51.	Expenses for clean street campaign...	5,000
52.	Expenses for "Clean-Up Week".....	20,000
53.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	750

BUREAU OF SURVEYS

A23.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$358,710
	1. Chief engineer and surveyor	1 at \$8,000
	2. Principal assistant engineer	1 at 4,500
	3. Chief and recording clerk	1 at 2,000
	4. Assistant recording clerk	1 at 1,500
	5. Stenographer and typewriter	2 at 1,000
	6. Official photographer....	1 at 1,800
	7. Assistant photographer...	1 at 1,300
	8. Assistant photographer...	1 at 950
	9. Blue printer.....	1 at 600
	10. Custodian of records....	1 at 900
	11. Messenger	1 at 1,000
	12. Chauffeur	1 at 1,000
	13. Janitor	1 at 720
	14. Janitress	1 at 480
	15. Registrar	1 at 2,000
	16. Registry clerk.....	1 at 1,400
	17. Assistant registry clerk...	1 at 1,200
	18. Draftsman and road clerk	1 at 1,500
	19. Draftsman	4 at 1,200

20. Draftsman	4 at	1,000
21. Clerk	1 at	1,000
22. Clerk	5 at	900
23. District surveyor and regu- lator	14 at	4,000
24. Principal assistant.....	10 at	2,000
25. Principal assistant.....	7 at	1,800
26. First assistant	21 at	1,400
27. First assistant	12 at	1,200
28. Second assistant	19 at	1,000
29. Draftsman	12 at	1,200
30. Draftsman	6 at	1,000
31. Transitman	31 at	900
32. Rodman	31 at	800
33. Chainman	15 at	500
34. Apprentice	3 at	360
35. Messenger	2 at	360
36. Stenographer or tracer...	4 at	840
37. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	3,000
38. Assistant engineer, field corps	1 at	2,000
39. Draftsman	1 at	1,500
40. Draftsman	3 at	1,200
41. Transitman, field corps...	1 at	900
42. Rodman, field corps.....	1 at	800
43. Chainman, field corps	1 at	500
44. Assistant engineer.....	2 at	3,000
45. Sewer registrar	1 at	1,500
46. Draftsman	1 at	1,400
47. Draftsman	7 at	1,200
48. Sewer clerk.....	1 at	1,400
49. Permit clerk.....	1 at	1,200
50. Inspector of drain connec- tions	3 at	1,200
51. Supervisor of intercepting sewers	2 at	1,000
52. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	4,000
53. Draftsman	1 at	2,000
54. Draftsman	2 at	1,200
55. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	3,000
56. First assistant.....	1 at	1,500
57. Chemist	1 at	1,500
58. Assistant chemist	1 at	1,300
59. Laboratory assistant.....	2 at	1,000
60. Laboratory assistant.....	3 at	900
61. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	2,400
62. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	1,500
63. Draftsman	3 at	1,200
64. Stenographer and record- ing clerk.....	1 at	900
65. Inspector of caulking, fil- ter operator.....	1 at	1,380
66. Engineer	3 at	1,000
67. Watchman	1 at	720
68. Assistant operator.....	3 at	900

A24.	Personal services: wages for extra help, at not more than \$2.50 per day per employee	5,500
A25.	Personal services: miscellaneous personal services	120
63.	Transportation	2,500
64.	Maintenance (including repairs) and storage of automobiles, also licenses for same	3,000
65.	Communication service and advertising	1,000
66.	Recording deeds and dedications of streets	700
67.	Hire of horses and vehicles, maintenance, repairs and storage of automobiles in districts	9,000
68.	Cleaning offices	1,800
69.	Light	400
70.	Rent of fourteen district offices	8,875
71.	Repairs to instruments	500
72.	Reconstruction of inlets	1,500
73.	Repairs to old sewers and pumping stations	50,000
74.	Repairs to plant and equipment, Penny-pack	2,000
75.	Repairs to plant, maintenance and equipment, Oak Lane sewage disposal plant	3,000
76.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for	3,000

BUREAU OF WATER

A30.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$636,135
	1. Chief of bureau..... 1 at \$10,000	
	2. Second assistant to chief 1 at 2,000	
	3. Engineering clerk..... 1 at 1,500	
	4. Correspondence clerk 1 at 1,200	
	5. Stenographer	1 at 1,000

6. Clerk	1 at	900
7. Messenger	1 at	720
8. Chauffeur	1 at	1,000
9. Janitor	1 at	720
10. Watchman	1 at	720
11. Chief clerk.....	1 at	2,000
12. Assistant chief clerk.....	1 at	2,000
13. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,500
14. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,000
15. Clerk	4 at	1,000
16. Clerk	6 at	900
17. Clerk	2 at	800
18. General storekeeper.....	1 at	1,000
19. Storekeeper at Torresdale	1 at	950
20. Storekeeper	4 at	800
21. Stenographer	1 at	900
22. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	2,500
23. Chief draftsman.....	1 at	1,800
24. Draftsman	1 at	1,200
25. Draftsman	2 at	1,000
26. Draftsman	2 at	900
27. Draftsman	2 at	800
28. Inspector	1 at	1,800
29. Second assistant engineer	1 at	1,500
30. Third assistant engineer.	3 at	1,500
31. Inspector	3 at	1,200
32. Transitman	1 at	900
33. Rodman	3 at	800
34. Clerk	1 at	900
35. Clerk	1 at	800
36. Assistant to general sup- erintendent	1 at	1,500
37. Foreman of machinists..	1 at	2,000
38. Superintendent of shop..	1 at	1,500
39. Foreman of shop.....	1 at	1,400
40. Foreman of bricklayers..	1 at	1,600
41. Foreman of carpenters ..	1 at	1,200
42. Foreman of painters.....	1 at	1,000
43. Foreman of riggers.....	1 at	1,000
44. Assistant foreman of rig- gers	1 at	900
45. Blacksmith	1 at	1,200
46. Blacksmith's helper.....	1 at	1,000
47. Lineman	1 at	1,200
48. Foreman of laborers.....	2 at	960
49. Clerk to superintendent of shop	1 at	900
50. Clerk	1 at	800
51. General superintendent..	1 at	3,500
52. Third assistant to chief..	1 at	1,600
53. Stenographer	1 at	900
54. Clerk	2 at	900
55. Clerk	1 at	800
56. Night telephone operator	2 at	1,000
57. Telephone operator and clerk	1 at	800

58. Chief engineer, Lardner's Point	1 at	2,400
59. Chief engineer, Torresdale	1 at	2,000
60. Chief engineer, Shawmont	1 at	1,500
61. Chief engineer, Queen Lane	1 at	1,500
62. Chief engineer, Belmont.	1 at	1,500
63. Engineer	7 at	1,080
64. Engineer	41 at	1,000
65. Engineer (with house)..	2 at	810
66. Oiler	107 at	800
67. Engineer in charge of boilers	1 at	1,500
68. Fireman	9 at	840
69. Fireman	110 at	800
70. Coal passer	50 at	720
71. Special officer	5 at	900
72. Watchman	15 at	720
73. Janitor	9 at	600
74. Engineer, Mingo Creek...	1 at	900
75. Fireman, Mingo Creek...	1 at	720
76. Watchman, Mingo Creek.	1 at	600
77. Superintendent, high pressure stations.....	1 at	2,200
78. Assistant superintendent, high pressure stations.	1 at	1,500
79. Engineer, high pressure stations	2 at	1,400
80. Engineer, high pressure stations	4 at	1,300
81. Oiler, high pressure stations	17 at	800
82. Chauffeur, high pressure stations	2 at	1,000
83. Caulker, as linewalker, high pressure stations.	3 at	1,000
84. Laborer, as linewalker, high pressure stations.	3 at	720
85. Janitor, high pressure stations	2 at	720
86. First assistant to chief..	1 at	2,700
87. Engineer in charge of filter records.....	1 at	1,500
88. Assistant engineer.....	1 at	1,500
89. Chemist	2 at	2,000
90. Assistant chemist	2 at	960
91. Bacteriologist	2 at	1,500
92. Assistant bacteriologist..	2 at	1,200
93. Laboratory assistant	1 at	720
94. Clerk	4 at	800
95. Superintendent of filters.	2 at	1,800
96. Superintendent of filters, Belmont	1 at	1,500

97. Superintendent of filters, Queen Lane.....	1 at	1,500
98. Superintendent of filters, Roxborough	1 at	1,500
99. Foreman of filter attend- ants	1 at	1,000
100. Foreman of filter attend- ants	6 at	900
101. Foreman of laborers.....	2 at	960
102. Watchman	5 at	720
103. Filter attendant.....	36 at	800
104. Purveyor	7 at	1,480
105. Clerk	6 at	900
106. Clerk	7 at	800
107. Stenographer	1 at	900
108. General foreman	7 at	1,200
109. Foreman of repairs.....	9 at	850
110. Pipe inspector.....	1 at	1,500
111. Pipe clerk.....	1 at	1,000
112. Inspector	3 at	1,000
113. Stop attendant.....	1 at	1,000
114. Yardkeeper, 4th district ,	1 at	915
115. Yardkeeper, 1st district .	1 at	900
116. Hydrant inspector.....	10 at	800
117. Watchman	8 at	720
118. Foreman of pipe repairs, high pressure.....	2 at	1,200
119. Superintendent of meters	1 at	1,500
120. Foreman of plumbers....	1 at	1,000
121. Registrar	1 at	2,500
122. Permit clerk	1 at	1,300
123. Search clerk	1 at	1,300
124. Assistant clerk.....	1 at	1,200
125. Clerk	3 at	1,000
126. Clerk	8 at	900
127. Clerk	6 at	800
128. Stenographer	1 at	900
129. Chief inspector.....	1 at	1,200
130. Inspector	42 at	1,000

A31. Personal services: wages for employ-
ees, as listed 300,000

1. Engineer	1 at	\$3 00 per day
2. Driver	8 at	2 25 per day
3. Machinist	7 at	4 25 per day
4. Machinist	47 at	3 75 per day
5. Machinist	1 at	3 50 per day
6. Machinists' helper.....	31 at	2 50 per day
7. Boilermaker	12 at	4 00 per day
8. Boilermakers' helper.....	11 at	3 00 per day
9. Patternmaker	4 at	4 00 per day
10. Blacksmith	4 at	3 75 per day
11. Blacksmiths' helper.....	5 at	2 50 per day
12. Crane runner.....	2 at	3 00 per day
13. Painter	7 at	3 60 per day

14. Carpenter	12	at	4 00	per day	
15. Bricklayer	7	at	5 00	per day	
16. Tinsmith	3	at	3 00	per day	
17. Diver	1	at	3 50	per day	
18. Plumber	2	at	3 60	per day	
19. Plumbers' helper.....	2	at	2 50	per day	
20. Laborer	6	at	3 00	per day	
21. Laborer	20	at	2 50	per day	
22. Laborer	387	at	2 00	per day	
A32. Personal services: wages for employ-					
ees, as listed					180,000
1. Filter machine operator ..	2	at	\$3 00	per day	
2. Laborer	5	at	3 00	per day	
3. Laborer	12	at	2 50	per day	
4. Laborer	275	at	2 00	per day	
A33. Personal services: wages for employ-					
ees, as listed					200,000
1. Driver	24	at	\$2 25	per day	
2. Caulker	50	at	3 00	per day	
3. Driller	8	at	3 00	per day	
4. Pitometer operator	6	at	3 50	per day	
5. Laborer	24	at	3 00	per day	
6. Laborer	35	at	2 50	per day	
7. Laborer	284	at	2 00	per day	
A34. Personal services: wages for employ-					
ees, as listed					8,000
1. Plumber	4	at	\$3 60	per day	
2. Plumbers' helper.....	7	at	2 50	per day	
3. Laborer	8	at	2 50	per day	
4. Laborer	10	at	2 00	per day	
86. Transportation, communication service					
and advertising					13,000
87. Automobile licenses, storage, care and					
repair of automobiles and motor					
trucks					5,000
88. Repairs and replacements					25,000
89. Hire of single, double and motor teams,					
with drivers					5,500
90. Hauling machinery, water pipe, and					
accessories					2,000
91. Hauling ashes					15,000
92. Electric current					2,000

93.	Care of animals, clipping, cleaning, shoeing and veterinary services	2,500
94.	Repairs to wagons, carts and harness..	2,000
95.	Expenses of making water rent duplicates	2,500
96.	Six (6) automobiles and two (2) motorcycles	3,500
97.	Uniforms; 41 men employed at H. P. pumping station, \$40 each	1,640
98.	Hotel expenses of inspectors	2,000
99.	Miscellaneous purposes not otherwise provided for, including ground rent, 918 Cherry street	1,500

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY

A40.	Personal services: regular employees, as listed	\$84,175
	1. Chief of bureau..... 1 at \$4,300	
	2. Chief clerk..... 1 at 1,750	
	3. Chauffeur 1 at 1,000	
	4. Superintendent of markets 1 at 1,500	
	5. Clerk 1 at 1,100	
	6. Clerk 2 at 1,000	
	7. Stenographer or clerk.... 1 at 900	
	8. Clerk and messenger..... 1 at 1,000	
	9. Clerk of markets: (<i>Provided</i> , That no stall be leased to any person not a citizen, nor shall any person have more than three stalls) 3 at 375	
	10. Stenographer 1 at 900	
	11. License clerk..... 1 at 720	
	12. Architectural draftsman . 1 at 2,100	
	13. Draftsman 1 at 1,500	
	14. Draftsman 1 at 1,200	
	15. Superintendent of real estate 1 at 1,500	
	16. Superintendent of maintenance (assistant superintendent), City Hall. 1 at 2,000	
	17. Caretaker of City Hall clocks 1 at 1,000	
	18. Superintendent of Independence Hall..... 1 at 800	

19. Assistant superintendent of Independence Hall...	1 at	500
20. Curator of Independence Hall	1 at	900
21. Special officer, Independence Hall	1 at	800
22. Engineer, Independence Hall	1 at	900
23. Fireman, Independence Hall	1 at	50 per month for eight months
24. Guard, Independence Hall	5 at	720
25. Night watchman, Independence Hall.....	3 at	720
26. Superintendent of German-town Hall.....	1 at	600
27. Janitress	1 at	360
28. Superintendent of League Island Park.....	1 at	1,000
29. Superintendent of squares	44 at	800
30. Superintendent of squares	8 at	600
31. Superintendent of North-east Boulevard.....	1 at	1,000
32. Landscape gardener	1 at	1,700
33. Caretaker at Frankford Burial Ground	1 at	300
34. Attendant (male) at public toilet rooms in squares.	2 at	480
35. Attendant (male) at public toilet rooms in squares.	2 at	400
36. Attendant (female) in public toilet rooms in squares	6 at	300

A41. Personal services: laborer in squares,
40 at \$2 per day 25,040

A42. Personal services: wages for employees,
as listed 95,325

1. Guide, City Hall.....	7 at	\$3 00 per day
2. Receiver	1 at	3 00 per day
3. Timekeeper	1 at	3 00 per day
4. Foreman of cleaners and janitors	1 at	4 00 per day
5. Sweeper and cleaner.....	53 at	2 00 per day
6. Janitress	10 at	1 75 per day
7. Scrubber and cleaner, Independence Hall.....	3 at	1 50 per day
8. Lavatory attendant	17 at	2 00 per day
9. Foreman rigger.....	1 at	5 00 per day
10. Rigger	3 at	3 60 per day
11. Foreman laborer	1 at	3 25 per day
12. Laborer, skilled	10 at	2 25 per day
13. Laborer	35 at	2 00 per day

- A43. Personal services: winding clocks in public buildings 475
- A44. Personal services: wages for employees, as listed..... 64,422
1. Foreman painter.....at \$6 00 per day
 2. Fresco painter.....at 3 82 per day
 3. Painterat 3 00 per day
 4. Foreman bricklayer.....at 5 00 per day
 5. Bricklayerat 5 00 per day
 6. Hodmanat 3 50 per day
 7. Bricklayer's helper.....at 2 00 per day
 8. Foreman plumberat 5 00 per day
 9. Plumberat 4 00 per day
 10. Gasfitterat 3 00 per day
 11. Plumber's and gasfitter's helperat 2 25 per day
 12. Steamfitter (including Edw. Hilt, who was injured while on duty)at 3 50 per day
 13. Steamfitter's helper.....at 2 75 per day
 14. Foreman carpenter.....at 5 00 per day
 15. Carpenterat 4 00 per day
- A45. Personal services: wages for laborers in squares, at \$2 per day; and for laborers shoveling snow and ice from pavement in front of State House Row, City Hall and public squares.. 10,000
- A46. Personal services: Municipal Band and attendants, small parks and squares: (*Provided*, Any extra services rendered be at the contract price, and a clause be inserted in the contract that in case of rain there shall be no charge) 15,000
- A47. Personal services: Philadelphia Band and attendants, City Hall plaza: (*Provided*, Any extra services rendered be at the contract price, and that a clause be inserted in the contract that in the case of rain there shall be no charge) 15,000
- A48. Personal services: toward defraying expenses of band in Gorgas Park.... 300

106.	Transportation	1,600
107.	Communication service, advertising, publication of notices	1,600
108.	Automobile licenses and storage, repair and maintenance of automobiles and other vehicles	2,000
109.	One automobile truck	500
110.	One roadster automobile	800
111.	Two motoreycles, including side cars..	800
112.	Removal of ashes and rubbish from City Hall	4,000
113.	Removal of ashes and rubbish from Independence and Congress Halls...	300
114.	Hauling ice and snow from pavements in front of State House Row, public halls and squares and from property used for city purposes	2,000
115.	Cleaning of cesspools	300
116.	Towel and laundry service	700
117.	Repairs to Independence Hall clock...	400
118.	Uniforms	3,140
119.	Repairs and maintenance, Independence Hall	5,000
120.	Repairs and maintenance, City Hall..	10,000
121.	Repairs and other expenses, Town Hall, Germantown	200
122.	Repairs to property owned by and used for city purposes, including city bur- ial grounds	1,000
123.	Cleaning and repairs of public clocks..	450
124.	Repairs to clock, South Second street market	400
125.	Repairs to market houses	1,000
126.	Removal of ashes and rubbish and mis- cellaneous hauling	12,000

127.	Repairs to flags, flag poles, window shades and awnings	700
128.	Care of Philadelphia Brigade Park and Antietam battlefield	300
129.	Care and repairs, Market Square monument, Germantown	100
130.	General repairs to morgue	500
131.	Manuring and sodding in squares; also repairs to squares	10,000
132.	Patent pavements and repairs	2,000
133.	Water rent, Tacony Park and Disston Park	150
134.	Ground rents	473
135.	Payment of instalment of purchase money, due on April 1st, on property at Broad and Arch streets	100,000
136.	Interest on mortgage on property at Broad and Arch streets	18,000
137.	Light for military organizations: (<i>Provided</i> , That the general allowance for electric and gas light for military organizations shall be at the rate of one hundred (100) dollars for each company, and that the First, Second and Third Regiments and State Fencibles shall be allowed one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; Philadelphia Battalion, Sixth Regiment, First and Second Troops, P. C. C., Troop A, Cavalry, Naval Reserves (two) companies, Company B, Engineers' Battalion, Troop G, Cavalry, Cavalry Squadron headquarters, seventy-five (75) dollars each additional for headquarters and armory: (<i>Provided</i> , Any bills in excess of the sum allowed to each organization shall be settled and paid in full by said organi-	

	zation before the last payment shall be made from this appropriation: <i>Provided</i> , That no warrants shall be drawn against this item in favor of any of the organizations named until all the bills due for lighting by said organizations shall be paid, the light to be used exclusively by said organizations)	7,000
138.	Taxes on Lazaretto property, Delaware County	450
139.	Painting, wages and materials for painting inside metal work of tower	5,000
140.	Alterations needed to change Rooms 783-5-7-9 to make offices and install windows east side	5,000
141.	Reconstruction improvements to North and South Second street markets . . .	15,000
142.	Supplying and erecting concrete bubbler fountains, public squares	1,000
143.	Landscape development, including grading, supplying and planting of trees, shrubs, etc.	2,000
144.	Supplying and placing tree guards on trees on sidewalks surrounding public squares	1,000
145.	Exterior and interior dry head and chemical automatic sprinkler systems, all buildings, cellars and lofts, Independence Hall and State House row of buildings	6,000
146.	New heating plant, whereby heat can be brought to all buildings from an outside plant, thus eliminating fire risk altogether, Independence Hall and State House row of buildings . . .	5,000
147.	Miscellaneous purposes (other than contributions, supplies, equipment, etc.) not otherwise provided for	1,000

The Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interest of the city, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various bureaus not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars each.

When the Director of the Department of Public Works is obliged to employ labor to do work under neglected or annulled contracts, then payments shall be made from item against which such contracts are charged, and the amount so paid charged against the contractor on the the amount set aside for such neglected or annulled contracts.

All bids shall be opened and all contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee of Councils having supervision.

The money appropriated for uniforms in this department shall be paid to each man.

Warrants shall be drawn as follows: For employees in the district surveyor's office (Bureau of Surveys), one warrant, payable semi-monthly.

For Bureau of Highways: For employees on street and road repairs, sewers, bridges, meadowbanks and water-courses, one warrant for each class of work, payable semi-monthly.

For Bureau of Water: For employees at the pumping and filtration stations, one warrant for each station, payable semi-monthly.

The following employees in the Bureau of Water are to be paid semi-monthly: For the employees in the purveyor's district, one warrant for each district; for the employees of the city construction and repair shop, one warrant; for the employees upon the improvement roll, one warrant; for the employees upon the building, grounds and reservoir, one warrant; for laborers at filtration stations, one warrant for each station. Warrants for the Director's office shall be drawn by the Director, and all other warrants by the chiefs of the respective bureaus, and shall be approved by the Director.

Provided, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that none but American citizens have been employed on the work, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of Councils, entitled "An Ordinance for the employment only of American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved by the Mayor, December 16, 1896: *Provided*, That in work in which the cost is paid whole or in part from assessments of benefits the affidavit shall not be required.

WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES

SECT. 27. The sum of two hundred and thirty-six thousand five hundred and sixty (236,560) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, as follows:

A1. Personal services: regular employees, as		
listed		\$100,930
1. Director	1 at	\$10,000
2. Assistant director	1 at	4,000
3. Secretary	1 at	2,500
4. Special agent.....	1 at	2,000
5. Property clerk and pay-		
master	1 at	2,000
6. Chief clerk.....	1 at	1,500
7. Clerk	3 at	1,200
8. Clerk	1 at	1,000
9. Stenographer	5 at	900
10. Telephone operator.....	1 at	600
11. Chauffeur	1 at	1,000
12. Harbor engineer.....	1 at	4,000
13. Assistant engineer	2 at	2,500
14. Assistant engineer	3 at	2,000
15. Assistant engineer	1 at	1,800
16. Chief draftsman.....	1 at	2,000
17. Structural designer.....	1 at	2,200
18. Draftsman	3 at	1,800
19. Draftsman	1 at	1,500
20. Architect	1 at	1,800
21. Inspector	1 at	1,800
22. Inspector	1 at	1,500
23. Inspector	1 at	1,200
24. Inspector	2 at	1,000
25. Inspector	8 at	900
26. Machinist	1 at	900

27. Laborer	1 at	750
28. Chief wharfinger.....	1 at	1,800
29. Dockmaster	2 at	1,200
30. Wharfinger	7 at	1,000
31. Special officer.....	1 at	720
32. Watchman	2 at	720
33. Dockmaster, civil engineer	1 at	2,000
34. Hydrographer	1 at	1,200
35. Leadsman	1 at	1,000
36. Recorder	1 at	780
37. Tide observer.....	1 at	600
38. Superintendent of boats and dredges.....	1 at	2,500
39. Clerk and watchman....	1 at	900
40. Gasoline engineer.....	1 at	840

- A2. Personal services: wages for repairs, extensions and alterations to city wharves, bulkheads, landings and recreation piers, for men when employed, as listed 12,000
1. Inspector, 1 at \$1,050 per year
 2. Mechanic, 7 at \$3 to \$4 per day
 3. Laborer, 5 at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per day, as services are required
- A3. Personal services: temporary employees to operate city ice boats 16,000
- A4. Personal services: temporary employees to operate city dredging plant 35,000
- A5. Personal services: fees of auctioneers for selling wharf leases 500
1. Transportation, carfare, advertising, postage, communication service, miscellaneous services and supplies.... 3,000
 2. Advertising the advantages of the Port of Philadelphia 5,000
 3. Care, maintenance and equipment of automobile and chauffeurs' uniforms 1,200
 4. Rent of department offices in the Bourse Building 7,020
 5. Removing ashes and refuse from city piers 150
 6. Uniforms, 14 at \$40 each 560

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| 7. | Repairs, alterations and extensions to city wharves, bulkheads, landings and recreation piers, either under contract or by department's repair corps | 15,000 |
| 8. | For repairs to floating equipment, either by contract or for the purchase of materials and supplies, so that the same can be done by men in the employ of the department | 15,000 |
| 9. | Water rent for fire purposes, House of Correction wharf | 100 |
| 10. | Dues, Maritime Exchange | 100 |
| 11. | For dredging Frankford creek, Venango street and other docks, under contract | 25,000 |

Provided, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

SUPPLIES

SECT. 28. The sum of three million five hundred and forty-three thousand four hundred and eighty (3,543,480) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES

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| A1. | Personal services: regular employees, as listed | \$51,980 |
| 1. | Director | 1 at \$10,000 |
| 2. | Assistant director | 1 at 4,000 |
| 3. | Chief clerk | 1 at 2,500 |
| 4. | Auditor | 1 at 1,800 |
| 5. | Requisition clerk | 1 at 1,500 |
| 6. | Assistant requisition clerk | 1 at 1,200 |
| 7. | Assistant requisition clerk | 1 at 900 |
| 8. | Confidential clerk | 1 at 1,200 |
| 9. | Warrant clerk | 1 at 1,200 |
| 10. | Warrant clerk | 1 at 1,100 |
| 11. | Assistant warrant clerk | 1 at 1,100 |
| 12. | Bookkeeper | 1 at 1,200 |
| 13. | Bookkeeper | 2 at 1,100 |

14. Bookkeeper	3 at	1,000
15. Schedule clerk	1 at	1,200
16. Chief inspector.....	1 at	1,200
17. Assistant chief inspector.	1 at	1,200
18. Inspector	4 at	1,200
19. Stenographer	1 at	1,200
20. Assistant stenographer ..	2 at	900
21. Stenographer and file clerk	1 at	900
22. File clerk	1 at	1,000
23. Assistant file clerk.....	1 at	900
24. Miscellaneous clerk.....	2 at	900
25. Bill clerk	1 at	900
26. Messenger	1 at	900
27. Weigher	1 at	800
28. Janitor	1 at	480
A2. Personal services: wages for extra clerks		6,000
1. Transportation, meals, postage, advertising, ice and towel service		4,500
2. Stationery, printing, binding and office supplies		4,500
3. Furniture, furnishings and office equipment		500
4. Garage hire, gasoline, lubricants, accessories and parts of automobiles....		750
5. Purchase of two runabouts		750
6. Miscellaneous supplies, etc.		1,000

DEPARTMENT OF RECEIVER OF TAXES

11. Ice and towel service	\$500
12. Stationery, printing, binding, cleaning and office supplies	10,000
13. Furniture, furnishings and equipment.	100
14. Fuel, district branch offices	600
15. Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	500

ART JURY

21. Stationery, printing, ice, towel service	\$100
22. Furniture, furnishings, other equipment ,	100
23. Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	100

BOARD OF RECREATION

26.	Towels, soap, ice, cleaning and toilet supplies	\$600
27.	Stationery, printing, drawing materials, office furnishings and fixtures, office supplies	400
28.	Fuel	4,000
29.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	200

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

36.	Printing, binding, engraving, drafting and special materials, stationery....	\$3,000
37.	Ice, towel service, cleaning and toilet supplies	250
38.	Furniture, office furnishings and other equipment	500
39.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	500

DEPARTMENT OF CITY TRANSIT

45.	Printing, binding, engraving, lithographing, text books, maps, specifications and reports	\$500
46.	Stationery, photographic, drafting, engineering and office supplies, wearing apparel, cleaning and toilet supplies, ice and towel service, fuel, gasoline and lubricants	1,500
47.	Furniture and furnishings, scientific, engineering and photographic equipment, automobile parts and accessories	1,500
48.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	500

DEPARTMENT OF MAYOR

MAYOR'S OFFICE

55.	Paper, printing, binding, engraving, including the Mayor's annual message and accompanying documents.....	\$10,000
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56.	Stationery and office supplies	1,000
57.	Furniture, wearing apparel, automobile accessories and parts, fuel and lubricants and other equipment	2,000
58.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	800

PHILADELPHIA MUSEUMS

65.	Stationery, printing, printing supplies, ice, forage; drafting, scientific, educational, mechanics', engineers', electrical, office, and cleaning supplies; harness and stable supplies; automobile supplies and parts	\$3,000
66.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils	4,000
67.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils; on account of the Department of Public Health and Charities. . . .	4,000
68.	Lumber, paints, varnishes, roofing and building materials, implements and materials used in care of grounds. . . .	2,000
69.	Furniture and furnishings, other equipment	2,000
70.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,000

FREE LIBRARY OF PHILADELPHIA

75.	Printing, binding, stationery, office supplies, ice, wearing apparel, cleaning, toilet and garden supplies	\$7,000
76.	Fuel, including lighting and burning oils	7,200
77.	Furniture, furnishings, other equipment	2,000
78.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	750

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

83.	Printing, engraving, stationery, ice and office supplies	\$1,350
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84.	Furniture, furnishings and equipment	150
85.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	500

BUREAU OF HEALTH

90.	Stationery, printing, binding, books, ice, towel service and office supplies....	\$10,000
91.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases	40,000
92.	Milk, cream, meats, vegetables, flour, groceries, marketing and other edibles: (<i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller shall countersign warrants for marketing upon the approval of bills of the Superintendent of the Hospital for Contagious Diseases, by the Directors of the Departments of Public Health and Charities and Supplies, without advertising)	65,000
93.	Dry goods, notions, wearing apparel, etc.	12,000
94.	Vaccine virus and other biological products, drugs, hospital, eye, dental and laboratory supplies, disinfectants, soaps and lubricants	30,000
95.	Antitoxin	5,500
96.	Hardware, tools and materials	5,000
97.	Feed and bedding for horses	5,000
98.	Furniture, house furnishings, hospital, laboratory and office equipment, bedding, horses, cattle, harness and stable supplies, accessories, parts, supplies and equipment for vehicles and automobile ambulances	18,000
99.	Trees, evergreens, shrubs, seeds, plants, fertilizer, gardening and farm supplies	500
100.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	3,000

BUREAU OF CHARITIES

104.	Stationery, printing, paper, printing materials, office equipment and supplies	\$4,000
105.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases	110,000
106.	Fuel, Home for Indigent, Holmesburg	20,000
107.	Milk and cream, meats and fish, cereals, groceries, vegetables, ice, tobacco and marketing: (<i>Provided</i> , That the City Controller shall countersign warrants for marketing upon approval of bills of Superintendent of the Bureau of Charities by the Directors of the Departments of Health and Charities and Supplies, without advertising) ..	665,000
108.	Dry goods, notions, wearing apparel ..	250,000
109.	Furniture, crockery and house furnishing goods	25,000
110.	Drugs, liquors, biological products, hospital, laboratory, surgical, eye and dental supplies and equipment incident thereto	70,000
111.	Disinfectants, soaps, laundry supplies and equipment	15,000
112.	Feed and bedding for horses and other livestock	12,000
113.	Hardware, tools and materials used in repairs of buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, gas and steam fitting, farming implements and materials	30,000
114.	Vehicle and automobile ambulance equipment, horses, cattle, and other livestock; harness, stable and veterinary supplies	4,000
115.	New fire hose and attachments	1,000
116.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	3,000

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

120.	Printing, engraving, stationery, office supplies, ice, and towel service.....	\$1,100
121.	Furniture, furnishings, accessories and parts for automobiles, other equipment	1,000
122.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	700

BUREAU OF POLICE

126.	Towel service	\$300
127.	Stationery, printing, paper, ice, household, cleaning and office supplies....	7,000
128.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases	40,000
129.	Feed and bedding for horses	85,000
130.	Harness, stable and veterinary supplies, drugs, medical and surgical supplies and appliances, packing, waste and lubricating oils and greases	5,500
131.	Hardware, lumber, paints and painters' materials, tools, leather and findings, oakum, jute, pipe and fittings, materials for repairs to buildings, parts, accessories and equipment for motor vehicles, boats, etc., and other materials	9,000
132.	Furniture, furnishings, bedding, batons, badges, office and other equipment ..	7,500
133.	Horses	15,000
134.	Photographic materials	1,000
135.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	2,000

BUREAU OF FIRE

140.	Stationery, printing and office supplies and equipment	\$1,500
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141.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases	40,000
142.	Feed and bedding for horses	54,000
143.	Ice, drugs and veterinary supplies....	1,000
144.	Packing, waste, lubricating oils and cleaning supplies	5,000
145.	Hardware, tools, lumber, paints, material incident to repairs of apparatus and houses; parts, accessories and equipment for maintenance of motor service and other materials	18,000
146.	Furniture, house furnishings, bedding and other equipment	9,000
147.	Harness and stable equipment	3,000
148.	Hose and couplings	30,000
149.	Horses	20,000
150.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,000

ELECTRICAL BUREAU

155.	Towel service	\$125
156.	Stationery, printing, ice, cleaning and office supplies	1,250
157.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases	75,000
158.	Batteries, register paper, chemical solution, incandescent lamps, carbons and lubricators	9,375
159.	Lumber, telegraph poles, paints and painters' materials, wires, conduits, boxes, conductors, materials for the maintenance of lighting and power plant, elevators, overhead and underground lines, telegraphic and telephonic materials and instruments..	60,000
160.	Furniture, furnishings, transporting, conveying, telegraphic and telephonic equipment, including overhead lines,	

	cable for underground, mast-arms, fire and police signal instruments and equipment, heat, light, power, ventilation, refrigeration and electrical equipment (including lighting of City Hall corridors and offices, extension of emergency service, dynamo room, educational, scientific, recreational equipment, recording ammeters, voltmeters and other special and miscellaneous equipment, including manhole covers and frames, conduit and fitting, etc.)	56,250
161.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	2,500

BUREAU OF CORRECTION

166.	Stationery, printing and office supplies	\$600
167.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils	35,000
168.	Flour, groceries, meats, provisions, tobacco and other edibles	75,000
169.	Dry goods, notions, wearing apparel . . .	12,500
170.	Drugs, medicines, hospital, surgical, toilet and cleaning supplies	4,600
171.	Forage, harness and stable supplies, mechanics', engineers', quarry and farm supplies; lubricating oils and greases, gas lime	7,250
172.	Hardware, tools, iron, steel, lumber, paints, glass, cement, sand, bricks, building lime, calcined plaster, plastering hair, leather, shoe findings, pipe, fittings, roofing materials, matches, gas mantles, globes and domes for street lamps	7,000
173.	Furniture, house furnishings, machinery, hose, couplings, horses, other livestock, farming implements and	

	parts; stoves, steam boilers, gas meters, other equipment.....	4,000
174.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,000

BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION

180.	Towel and miscellaneous services	\$50
181.	Stationery, printing, binding, ice, cleaning, toilet, office, drafting and other supplies	900
182.	Furniture, furnishings and equipment	50

BUREAU OF STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER INSPECTION

186.	Printing, binding, stationery, ice and towel service	\$700
187.	Furniture, furnishings, other equipment	50
188.	Gasoline, oil, tires and other supplies for automobiles	800
189.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	300

BUREAU OF ELEVATOR INSPECTION

193.	Printing, stationery, books.....	\$1,300
194.	Furniture, furnishings, other equipment	50
195.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	125

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

198.	Stationery, printing, binding, office, photographic and drafting supplies, towel service, ice, fuel, chauffeurs' uniforms, lubricants for automobiles, cleaning and toilet supplies	\$3,100
199.	Furniture, furnishings, parts for automobiles, other equipment	2,500
200.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.....	200

BUREAU OF LIGHTING

205.	Towel service, stationery, printing, ice, scientific, educational, cleaning and miscellaneous supplies	\$300
206.	Furniture and office equipment.....	300

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS

210.	Stationery, printing, binding, office supplies, drafting, scientific, educational and photographic supplies, maps, atlases, ice, towel service, laboratory, cleaning and toilet supplies	\$8,000
211.	Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases; lubricants, packing, waste and other mechanics' supplies; and accessories and parts for automobiles, motorcycles and equipment used by repair forces	14,000
212.	Uniforms for chauffeurs and bridge operators; and rubber coats, hats and boots	1,500
213.	Office furniture, furnishings and equipment; and electrical, laboratory, scientific and special equipment	3,000
214.	Materials, tools and equipment, including motor vehicles for hauling, etc.; sand spreaders, hose and miscellaneous supplies for repairs to streets, roads, meadowbanks, watercourses, bridges, sewers and inlets	260,000
215.	Waste cans	10,000
216.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	500

BUREAU OF SURVEYS

221.	Printing, engraving, lithographing, binding, towel service.....	\$4,000
222.	Stationery, photographic, drafting, scientific, educational, mechanical,	

	engineers' and electricians' supplies, ice, wearing apparel, rubber goods and packing, cleaning and toilet sup- plies	10,000
223.	Lubricating oils and compounds	2,000
224.	Fuel, including illuminating and burn- ing oils and gases	4,825
225.	Hardware, tools, lumber, paints and painters' materials	1,500
226.	Furniture and furnishings, transporta- tion, conveying, telegraphic and tele- phonic equipment, parts and acces- sories for automobiles	7,000
227.	Corner stones and covers	1,000
228.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,000

BUREAU OF WATER

234.	Towel service	\$500
235.	Stationery, printing, ice, drafting and engineering supplies	10,000
236.	Fuel, illuminating and burning oils and gases	650,000
237.	Rubber goods, packing and lubricants..	25,000
238.	Electrical, laboratory and cleaning sup- plies, feed and bedding for horses, powder, fuse, hypo. of lime, chlorine, alum and special articles	50,000
239.	Hardware, tools, lumber, cement, brick, sand, pipe, fittings, iron and steel, brass fittings, block tin, lead, castings, building and special materials	75,000
240.	Furniture, furnishings, harness, vet- erinary and stable equipment, auto- mobiles, trucks and parts of motors, wearing apparel, horses and other equipment	20,000
241.	Cast-iron water pipe and appurtenances	1,000
242.	Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	10,000

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY

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| 248. | Stationery, printing (including programs for the Philadelphia Band concerts), engraving, binding, mimeographing, other duplicating work, drafting, scientific, educational and office supplies | \$3,800 |
| 249. | Fuel, including illuminating and burning oils and gases | 4,550 |
| 250. | Coal for military organizations, as follows: First Regiment, \$550; Second Regiment, \$550; Third Regiment, \$550; Philadelphia Battalion, Sixth Regiment, \$200; Troop A, \$150; First Troop, P. C. C., \$200; Second Troop, P. C. C., \$100; Naval Reserves, \$200; State Fencibles, \$200; Company B, Engineers' Battalion, \$100; Troop G, Cavalry, \$150; Cavalry Squadron Headquarters, \$150 | 3,100 |
| 251. | Metals, metal products, non-metallic mineral products, lumber, wood products, paints, painters' materials, mechanics', electricians' and engineers' supplies, ice, cleaning and toilet supplies, wearing apparel, sewing supplies, woven fabrics, fibre products | 20,000 |
| 252. | Hardware, lumber, sand, cement, stone, tools, trees, evergreens, shrubs, seeds, flowers, plants, fertilizers, soil, tree guards, benches, fencing and other material for parks and squares..... | 20,000 |
| 253. | Furniture, furnishings, production and construction equipment, transportation and conveying equipment, telephonic and telegraphic equipment, | |

property and care-taking equipment, scientific and other equipment	7,800
254. Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	3,000

DEPARTMENT OF WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES

260. Printing, binding, text-books, maps, stationery, blank forms, drafting, engineering, photographic and office supplies, ice and towel service, clean- ing and toilet supplies	\$1,000
261. Furniture, office furnishings, drafting and engineering equipment	750
262. Fuel, including illuminating and burn- ing oils and gases	18,000
263. Dry stores, groceries, provisions, meats, marketing and other edibles: (<i>Pro- vided</i> , That the City Controller shall countersign warrants for marketing upon the approval of the bills of the Superintendent of City Ice Boats by the Directors of the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries and Supplies, without advertising)	15,000
264. Mechanics', engineers', electricians' supplies	5,000
265. Lumber, paint, painters' materials, metals, metallic products, other mate- rials and supplies for repairs, altera- tions, etc.	3,500
266. Miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,200

The Director of the Department of Supplies shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment for the best interests of the city, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various departments and bureaus, not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars.

Provided, That whenever possible, contracts for supplies or materials shall be awarded only to Philadelphia

firms whose plants are located in the city, and that a schedule of such awards, certified by the Committee on Supplies, shall be sent to the City Controller before he shall sign any warrants for such materials or supplies.

GENERAL PROVISOS

SECT. 29. The following provisos shall apply to all Departments:

That all employees, now or hereafter employed, shall be citizens of the United States and *bona fide* residents of the City of Philadelphia at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain *bona fide* residents during such employment.

And the City Controller shall countersign no warrants against any item in this ordinance unless all conditions imposed are complied with.

And warrants shall be drawn in conformity with existing ordinances.

SECT. 30. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 235.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E.

Conn, Robt. Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of City Property) to improve Bartram Park by erecting caretaker's lodge house.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works, is hereby authorized and directed to expend not over five thousand (5,000) dollars out of Item 170 (Loan) for the erection of caretaker's lodge house in Bartram Park.

APPENDIX No. 236.

Philadelphia, December 6, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety), as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly, approved May 5, 1899," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate and determine the license fees for permits in the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety), as required by Section 50 of the Act of Assembly approved May 5, 1899.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That where any person or persons shall be desirous of erecting, constructing or altering any house or building, or making any other building improvement for which the Acts of Assembly and ordinances of the City of Philadelphia require the issuing of a permit from the Bureau of Building Inspection, such person or persons shall make application at the office of the Bureau of Building Inspection (Department of Public Safety) for a permit for the purpose, and shall pay for such permit the various sums, as follows:

SECT. 2. For the inspection of each and every building the fee shall be eight (8) dollars for the first five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, with the further sum of two (2) dollars for each additional five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, if the building be one of the first class; six (6) dollars for the first five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, and the further sum of one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents for each additional five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, if the building be of the second class; five (5) dollars for the first five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, and the further sum of one (1) dollar for each additional five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, if the building be of the third class; four (4) dollars for the first five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, and the further sum of one (1) dollar for each

additional five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the building, if the building be of the fourth class.

SECT. 3. For the inspection of sheds and reviewing stands the fee shall be two (2) dollars for the first five hundred (500) square feet of floor area, or fractional part thereof, contained in the structure, and the further sum of one (1) dollar for each additional five hundred (500) square feet, or fractional part thereof.

SECT. 4. In determining the floor areas in buildings, as referred to anywhere in this ordinance, the outside measurements of the building shall be taken.

SECT. 5. For the inspection of additions to existing buildings the fee shall be the same as that provided above for the various classes of buildings.

SECT. 6. For the inspection of buildings for which application is made for repairs or alterations, or for improvements such as bulk windows, bay windows, oriel windows, overhanging baths, fireplaces, or for the installation or renewal of or repairs to hot air heaters or flues, hot water or steam heating plants, furnaces, ranges, foundations for engines and power boilers, for the installation of motors, for the erection or renewal of or repairs to roof tanks and supports, fire escapes, signs on roofs, spires, for marquise and projecting sign anchorage, and other improvements not elsewhere specifically indicated, the fee shall be two (2) dollars for each one thousand (1,000) dollars, or fractional part thereof, of the estimated cost of such improvement: *Provided*, That no such permit shall be issued for less than three (3) dollars.

SECT. 7. For the inspection of miscellaneous construction work, such as retaining walls, tank towers, wireless towers, coal pockets and similar structures, trestles, and other miscellaneous work not elsewhere specifically referred to, the fee shall be two (2) dollars for each one thousand (1,000) dollars, or fractional part thereof, of the estimated cost of such improvement: *Provided*, That no such permit shall be issued for less than three (3) dollars.

SECT. 8. For the inspection of buildings where application is made to tear down, and no application is made for a permit to erect a new building upon the same ground, the fee shall be three (3) dollars.

SECT. 9. For the checking of computations to determine the safe carrying capacity of floors, as submitted to the Bureau of Building Inspection, the fee shall be three (3) dollars for each building.

SECT. 10. For fence views, the fee shall be three (3) dollars each, as fixed by Act of Assembly approved May 6, 1870.

SECT. 11. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect on and after January 1, 1917.

SECT. 12. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith or supplied hereby be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 237.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide,’ approved April 2, 1901,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide," approved April 2, 1901.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved April 2, 1901, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage and use of acetylene and calcium carbide," be and is hereby amended as follows: By inserting after Section 7 the words:

"SECT. 8. Each application for the quantity of calcium carbide exceeding six hundred (600) pounds shall be accompanied by a fee of ten (10) dollars.

"Each application for calcium carbide, where the quantity does not exceed six hundred (600) pounds, shall be accompanied by a fee of two (2) dollars.

"Each application for a license to generate acetylene gas shall be accompanied by a fee of twenty (20) dollars.

"Each application for a license for storing acetylene gas shall be accompanied by a fee of ten (10) dollars.

"Provided, however, That a license for generating acetylene gas shall also cover the storing of the same as well as the storing of calcium carbide."

APPENDIX No. 238.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manu-

facture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles,' approved April 2, 1901," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hietzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles," approved April 2, 1901.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved April 2, 1901, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage and keeping for sale of certain chemicals and combustibles," be amended as follows: By striking out the words "without a license in any quantity" in Section 1, line forty-two after the word "ordinance," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "in any quantity provided a license has first been obtained," so that it shall read from line fifteen as follows: "*Provided, also*, That any person engaged in manufacturing may manufacture, store and keep for sale nitrates, chlorates and permanganates or any of the articles referred to in this ordinance in any quantity, provided a license has first been obtained," etc.; also by inserting after Section 6 the following:

"SECT. 7. Each application for the manufacturing or storage of chemicals and combustibles shall be accompanied by a fee of ten (10) dollars. Each application for the selling or offering for sale certain chemicals and combustibles, two (2) dollars: *Pro-*

vided, however, That a license for the manufacturing and storing of certain chemicals and combustibles shall include the privilege of selling and offering for sale of the same."

APPENDIX No. 239.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transporting and carrying of high explosives,' approved April 2, 1901," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transporting and carrying of high explosives," approved April 2, 1901.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved April 2, 1901, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the manufacturing, having, keeping, selling, using, transporting and carrying high explosives," be and is hereby

amended as follows: By inserting after Section 9 the words:

"SECT. 10. Each application for the selling, offering for sale or transporting of 'high explosives' shall be accompanied by a fee of five (5) dollars. Each application for blasting with and using 'high explosives' shall be accompanied with a fee of two (2) dollars."

APPENDIX No. 240.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to fix the charge for the use of the Registry plan books in the Registry Division of the Bureau of Surveys," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robt. Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To fix a charge for the use of the Registry plan books in the Registry Division of the Bureau of Surveys.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the first day of January, 1917, the Registrar of the Registry Division of the Bureau of Surveys shall make a charge, in advance, of the sum of twenty-five (25) cents for the

use, by any one not an officer of the City of Philadelphia, of each or any of the Registry plan books in the said Registry Division, said charge to be made for each period of one (1) hour or fraction thereof.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 241.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend Section 5 of the ordinance approved March 22, 1900, to authorize and regulate the erection and construction of iron awnings over sidewalks and authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of Highways to issue permits therefor," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robt. Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend Section 5 of the ordinance approved March 22, 1900, to authorize and regulate the erection and construction of iron awnings over sidewalks, and authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of Highways to issue permits therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Section 5 of the

ordinance approved March 22, 1900, authorizing and regulating the erection and construction of iron awnings over sidewalks and authorizing the Chief of the Bureau of Highways to issue permits therefor, shall be amended to read as follows:

“SECT. 5. All applicants shall be required to pay to the Receiver of Taxes for permits provided for in Sections 2 and 4, before procuring the same, the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars.”

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this amendment be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 242.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance approved April 7, 1893, entitled ‘An Ordinance for the preservation of street paving, by authorizing the laying of lateral sewer connections from the main, prior to paving or repaving of streets to inside of the curb, and to provide for collecting the cost thereof.’” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robt. Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Antrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Supplementary to an ordinance approved April 7, 1893, entitled "An Ordinance for the preservation of street paving, by authorizing the laying of lateral sewer connections from the main, prior to paving or repaving of streets to inside of the curb, and to provide for collecting the cost thereof."

WHEREAS, Councils did, by above ordinance, direct that where permits are granted to connect by such laterals with a sewer, a charge of five (5) dollars for each connection shall be made;

AND WHEREAS, The charge, as fixed by ordinance to which this is supplementary, is insufficient and should be increased to equal the average cost of laterals; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after the date of this ordinance all charges for connections to laterals shall be at the rate of ten (10) dollars for each connection.

SECT. 2. That so much of Section 1 of an ordinance, approved April 7, 1893, as fixes said charge at five (5) dollars be, and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX 243.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the

City and County of Philadelphia, and providing for the free distribution of said Manual to municipal and other public officials," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the City Controller to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the City and County of Philadelphia, and providing for the free distribution of said Manual to Municipal and other public officials.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to charge an amount not to exceed three (3) dollars per copy for the second edition of the Manual of Accounting, Reporting and Business Procedure for the City and County of Philadelphia, to partly cover the cost of its printing and binding: *Provided*, however, that the said charge of three (3) dollars per copy shall not be made to municipal or other public officials or where, in the opinion of the City Controller, the person or persons to whom a copy is given will put same to a public use.

SECT. 2. Any and all moneys received by the City Controller as provided in Section 1 hereof shall be paid by him into the City Treasury, as provided by law.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 244.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers,’ approved May 12, 1866, and its supplement, approved February 16, 1869,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Supplementary to an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers,” approved May 12, 1866, and its supplement, approved February 16, 1869.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania did, by Act approved March 30, 1866, direct that all charges and rates to be made by the City of Philadelphia for the construction of sewers shall be fixed from time to time by ordinance of Councils;

AND, WHEREAS, The charge as fixed in ordinance to which this is supplementary, throws a greater burden upon the general taxation than is fair and just; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after the date of this ordinance, all bills of assessment which shall be

prepared against properties fronting on streets in which sewers hereafter shall be built, shall be at the rate of two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents per linear foot of frontage.

SECT. 2. That so much of Section 1 of an ordinance, approved February 16, 1869, supplementary to an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of sewers," approved May 12, 1866, as fixes said assessment at one dollar and fifty cents per foot linear of frontage, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 245.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend 'An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor,' approved March 28, 1881," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autreehy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor," approved March 28, 1881.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Section 2 of an ordi-

nance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the salary of the City Solicitor," approved March 28, 1881, which reads as follows: "The City Solicitor shall draw all contracts in which the City of Philadelphia is interested, and the contractor in each case shall pay to the City Solicitor a proper fee for the service thus rendered to him as follows: For each contract involving over ten thousand (10,000) dollars a fee of twenty (20) dollars; for each contract involving from five thousand (5,000) dollars to ten thousand (10,000) dollars a fee of ten (10) dollars; for each contract involving from one thousand (1,000) dollars to five thousand (5,000) dollars a fee of five (5) dollars; and for each contract involving one thousand (1,000) dollars and under a fee of three (3) dollars," shall be amended so that it shall read as follows:

"SECT 2. The City Solicitor shall draw all contracts in which the City of Philadelphia is interested; and the contractor in each case shall pay to the City Solicitor a proper fee for the service thus rendered to him as follows: For Proposal Bonds each, two (2) dollars; all other bonds five (5) dollars; for agreements, etc., indemnifying the City, five (5) dollars; for contracts for five thousand (5,000) dollars or less, minimum fee of five (5) dollars; for contracts from five thousand (5,000) dollars to ten thousand (10,000) dollars, a fee of ten (10) dollars; for contracts from ten thousand (10,000) dollars to twenty thousand (20,000) dollars, a fee of fifteen (15) dollars; for contracts from twenty thousand (20,000) dollars to fifty thousand (50,000) dollars a fee of twenty (20) dollars; for contracts from fifty thousand (50,000) dollars to one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars a fee of twenty-five (25) dollars; for contracts from one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars to two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars a fee of forty (40) dollars; for contracts exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars a fee of fifty (50) dollars."

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 246.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole, and other similar light petroleum or coal-tar products and articles containing the same,’” respectfully considered the same, and report the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole, and other similar light petroleum or coal-tar products and articles containing the same.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved April 2, 1901, entitled “An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, benzole, and other similar light petroleum or coal-tar products and articles containing the same,” be amended as follows: by striking out in Section 1, the twenty-third line, the word “barrel” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “gallon,” and by inserting after the word “product” on line twenty-five, the words “without a license” so that portion of Section 1 shall read as follows:

“for the purpose of using in manufacture or in the arts or for any purpose whatever, more than one gallon in the whole of benzine, naphtha, gasoline, or other similar light petroleum products, or three drums of benzole or similar coal-tar product without a license.”

also by inserting after Section 7 the following:

SECT. 8. For each location of a distributing station or refinery for light petroleum or coal-tar products or manufactories where these products are stored or used..... \$50

For each dry cleaning establishment where quantity of light petroleum or coal-tar products used or stored is over one barrel..... 10

For each scouring, cleaning or similar establishment where the quantity of light petroleum or coal-tar products is used or stored is over one gallon..... 2

Each public garage of 25 cars or less capacity. 5

Each public garage of 25 to 50 cars capacity.. 10

Each public garage of 50 cars and over capacity..... 20

A public garage shall include all places where space is rented for the storage of automobiles or motor-driven vehicles.

For each private garage..... \$2

A private garage shall include all places where motor-driven vehicles are stored other than public garages.

Automobile machine and repair shops..... \$5

Selling, storing, using or keeping light petroleum or crude oil products where tanks are located beneath the level of the ground as follows:

Each tank, original installation..... \$5

Each tank, renewal 2

Provided, however. That a public garage license shall cover the selling, storing or using of light petroleum and crude oil products except for an original installation.

All other locations where light petroleum or crude oil products are sold, kept or used. \$1

All fees for the applications required by this ordinance shall be due and payable at the time the application is made.

APPENDIX No. 247.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance amending Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service, and fixing the charges therefor,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Antrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance amending Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service, and fixing the charges therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Section 3 of the ordinance approved March 30, 1895, regulating the granting

of permits for connections with and repairs to underground service and fixing the charges therefor, shall be amended to read as follows:

“SECT. 3. All applicants shall be required to pay to the Receiver of Taxes, for permits provided for in Section 2, before procuring the same, the following sums, and shall not thereafter be liable for any sums on account thereof:

Character of Pavement or Opening	Flat Rate Charge
Asphalt block on concrete base.....	\$8 00
Asphalt block on gravel base.....	5 00
Bituminous on concrete or broken stone base...	9 00
Cobble or rubble on gravel base.....	5 00
Granite block on concrete base.....	12 00
Granite block on gravel base.....	10 00
Granolithic	10 00
Sheet asphalt on broken stone, bituminous or concrete base	13 00
Tunnelling	2 50
Unpaved	2 50
Vitrified block on concrete base.....	14 00
Vitrified block on gravel base.....	8 00
Waterbound macadam on broken stone or Telford base	6 00
Wood block on concrete base.....	18 00

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this amendment be, and the same are hereby repealed.”

APPENDIX No. 248.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to regulate and determine the fees for filing plans with the Bureau of Health, Department of Public Health and Charities, for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cess pools,” respectfully report that they have carefully con-

sidered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate and determine the fees for filing plans with the Bureau of Health, Department of Public Health and Charities, for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cess pools.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That when a plumber shall file with the Bureau of Health, in accordance with Section 4 of the Act of Assembly, approved June 7, 1911, plans and specifications for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cess pools, he shall pay to the Bureau of Health for each plan approved a fee in accordance with the following schedule:

1. For each plan approved on which there
are not more than seven "fixtures". . \$1 00
2. For each additional "fixture" over seven. 25

The term "fixture" shall mean any receptacle attached to the house drainage system for the receiving of drainage, either inside or outside of a building, or any connection provided for making a future attachment of such receptacles.

Each privy well, each drainage well and each sewage disposal plant, shall be considered a "fixture."

Wash tubs of either one or more parts shall be considered as one "fixture."

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 249.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance, approved April 11, 1893, to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. C. Williams, Morris E. Conn, Robert Smith, James H. McGurk, Simon Walter, T. J. McCarthy, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Crawford, John F. Flaherty, William H. Quigley, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Autrechy, Elias Abrams, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance, approved April 11, 1893, to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That Section 4 of ordinance approved April 11, 1893, entitled “An Ordinance to regulate and restrain the hawking, vending and peddling of any fruit, vegetables, produce, wares and merchandise on the highways and footways of the City of Philadelphia.” reading as follows: “SECT. 4. That upon application being made to the Commissioner of Markets and City Property, he is hereby authorized upon payment to him, for the use of the City of Philadelphia, of the

sum of fifteen (15) dollars for each wagon or other vehicle drawn by two horses or other animals, or ten (10) dollars for each wagon or other vehicle drawn by one horse or other animal, or five (5) dollars for each barrow or handcart, to grant a license to said applicants for the purpose of hawking or vending within the corporate limits of the City of Philadelphia any fish, fruit, vegetables, produce, wares or merchandise."

be amended to read as follows:

"SECT. 4. That upon application being made to the Chief of the Bureau of City Property, or his authorized representative, he is hereby authorized upon payment to him for the use of the City of Philadelphia, of the sum of thirty-five (35) dollars for each automobile truck or twenty-two (22) dollars and fifty (50) cents for each wagon or other vehicle drawn by two horses or other animals or fifteen (15) dollars for each wagon or other vehicle drawn by one horse or other animal or five (5) dollars for each barrow or handcart, to grant a license to said applicants for the purpose of hawking or vending within the corporate limits of the City of Philadelphia any fish, fruit, vegetables, produce, wares or merchandise: *Provided*, That all licenses issued after June 30th of each year shall be paid for at one-half the above rates."

APPENDIX No. 250.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Crowson, Eighty-second, Greene, Homer, Jamestown, Magnolia, Marshall, Millick, Sixty-first streets; Buist, Gibson and Henry avenues," respectfully report that we have carefully con-

sidered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. Boal, J. H. Shaw, Geo. Mitchell, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers in Crowson, Eighty-second, Greene, Homer, Jamestown, Magnolia, Marshall, Millick, and Sixty-first streets; Buist, Gibson and Henry avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in Crowson street, from Woodlawn street to Locust avenue; Eighty-second street, from Bartram avenue to Brewster avenue; Greene street, from Upsal street to end of present sewer at the Pennsylvania Railroad; Homer street, from Washington lane to Duval street and Washington lane, from Morton street to end of present sewer about one hundred (100) feet west of Ross street; Jamestown street, from Houghton street to Henry avenue; Magnolia street, from Washington lane to Duval street; Marshall street, from Cayuga street to Wingo-hocking street and from The Boulevard to Rockland street; Millick street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue; Sixty-first street, from Elmwood avenue to Gibson avenue and from Eastwick avenue to Gibson avenue; Buist avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Gibson avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street and Henry avenue, from Jamestown avenue to Walnut lane.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise, according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above authorized, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of the said contracts that the contractors shall accept the sums assessed upon the lines

of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above the said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, shall be charged to any item for the construction of branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, That in all cases where the property on the lines of the sewers herein authorized is assessed at suburban rates the owners of property shall first file an agreement to pay the regular frontage charges.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to pay for inspections, borings and expenses incidental to the work of constructing said branch sewers from the item for construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 251.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance granting permission to the Greenmount Cemetery Company to extend the boundaries of the Greenmount Cemetery eastward from the present cemetery lines,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., L. C. Michaelson, Wm. Boal, J. H. Shaw, Geo. Mitchell, George D’Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to the Greenmount Cemetery Company to extend the boundaries of the Greenmount Cemetery eastward from the present cemetery lines.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That permission and authority be, and are hereby granted to the Greenmount Cemetery Company, owning and maintaining a cemetery in the rural portion of the Thirty-third and Forty-second Wards of the City of Philadelphia, and now in use for burial purposes, to extend the boundaries of said cemetery by adding to the land already owned by the said Cemetery Company the following described land immediately adjoining and contiguous thereto:

All that certain tract or piece of land situate and described according to a recent survey made thereof by Walter Jones, surveyor and regulator of the Ninth District, beginning at a point on the southerly side of Wyoming avenue (as laid out on the plan of the City of Philadelphia of the width of eighty feet) at the distance of one hundred and seventy-three feet six and one-eighth inches westwardly from the westerly side of C street (as laid out on said plan of the width of sixty feet); thence extending along ground now or late of Anna L. Frick, south nine degrees three minutes west four hundred and one feet eight inches to a point; thence along said ground and ground formerly of James Lynd and crossing said C street south eighty-six degrees forty-seven minutes east four hundred and forty-seven feet nine and a half inches to a point in the line of ground granted by James Lynd to Edwin Smith; thence along said ground and crossing Courtland, Wingohocking and Cayuga streets, south nine degrees twenty-four minutes west fifteen hundred and twenty-three feet to the middle of Wingohocking creek; thence along the middle of said creek the eight following courses and distances, viz.: South, seventy-eight degrees forty-six minutes west one hundred and one feet eleven and a quarter inches, south sixty-eight degrees twenty-

four minutes west one hundred and six feet three and three-eighths inches, south fifty-six degrees twelve minutes west ninety-four feet four inches, north forty-six degrees forty-eight minutes west twenty-eight feet three and three-eighths inches, north eighty-six degrees five minutes west one hundred feet six inches, south fifty-six degrees twelve minutes west ninety-four feet four inches, north thirty-six degrees forty-two minutes west one hundred and fifty-seven feet three and one-eighths inches and north seventy-five degrees six minutes west forty-three feet five and a quarter inches to the line of ground now or formerly belonging to the estate of James B. Reese, deceased; thence along said ground and recrossing said Cayuga, Wingohocking and Courtland streets, north nine degrees thirty-seven minutes east fifteen hundred and thirty-seven feet seven inches to the line of ground now or late of Philip and Walter Siverly; thence along said ground south seventy-one degrees nineteen minutes east seventy-two feet four inches to a point; thence still along said ground north fifteen degrees east four hundred and thirty-three feet six inches to the southerly side of Wyoming avenue, and thence eastwardly along the same thirty-five feet two inches to the place of beginning; and to use the said described addition for burial purposes as part of the said cemetery of the said the Greenmount Cemetery Company; *Provided*, That the Greenmount Cemetery Company, shall, within one year from the date of the approval of this ordinance, dedicate to the City of Philadelphia so much of the beds of Courtland street, Wingohocking street, Cayuga street, C street and Macalester avenue as lie within the limits of the proposed addition.

APPENDIX No. 252.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to

authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway and of Grays avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. It is proposed to construct a new bridge over the P., W. and B. Railroad on Forty-ninth street between Paschall avenue and Gray's avenue. The grades leading up to the present bridge from the south are nearly 7 per cent. This bridge will be an outlet for a very large territory in the southwestern section of West Philadelphia and it is advisable to make the grades on the approaches as easy as possible and to widen the street at this point in order to take care of the increased traffic. The revision may cost twenty thousand (20,000) dollars. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. Boal, J. H. Shaw, Geo. Mitchell, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway and of Gray's avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors), be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Forty-ninth street, from Paschall avenue to the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway and of Gray's avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-second street.

APPENDIX No. 253.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road, of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue, of Tulip street, from Carwithan avenue to Arendell avenue and of State road, from Pennypack street to Convent avenue and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision is necessary in order that we may lose no time in constructing the bridge on the line of Linden avenue over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad. It is also necessitated by the requirement of the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania for a minimum headway of twenty-two feet, while the grades in this territory, which have been confirmed for a number of years, were based on the headroom of twenty feet. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., L. C. Michaelson, Wm. Boal, J. H. Shaw, Geo. Mitchell, George D’Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road, of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue, of Tulip street, from Carwithan avenue to Arendell avenue, and of State road, from Penny-

pack street to Convent avenue; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors), is hereby authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of Linden avenue, from Edmund street to State road, of Keystone street and James street, from Linden avenue to Arendell avenue, of Tulip street, from Carwithan avenue to Arendell avenue, and of State road, from Pennypack street to Convent avenue; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets, for the purpose of providing sufficient underclearance for a bridge on line of Linden avenue over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad.

APPENDIX No. 254.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue to State road, of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. This revision is necessary for the purpose of providing sufficient underclearance for a bridge on line of Ashburner street over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad and it is also made necessary by the requirement of the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania for a minimum headroom of twenty-two feet, the Railroad Com-

pany requiring twenty-three feet clearance if road is electrified. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, W. W. Weaver, Harry Keene, George H. Kelley, Wm. H. Cross, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., L. C. Michaelson, Wm. Boal, J. H. Shaw, Geo. Mitchell, George D'Autrechy, James E. Walsh.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue to State road, of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street, and of State road from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) is hereby authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of Ashburner street, from Torresdale avenue to State road, of Hegerman street and Tulip street, from Solly street to Hoffnagle street, and of State road, from Holmesburg avenue to Pennypack street; and to make the necessary revision of the lines and grades of intersecting streets, for the purpose of providing sufficient underclearance for a bridge on line of Ashburner street over the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad.

APPENDIX No. 255.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Gas, to which was referred the resolution entitled "Resolution authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former

locations," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Simon Walter (*Ch'n*), Joshua Evans, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, Mark Fleming, John N. Costello, Ira D. Garman, Elias Abrams, Geo. T. Courade, George D'Autrechy, George D. Cox, Geo. Connell.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the location of certain gasoline lamps removed from former locations.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to locate the following gasoline lamps, using the lamps and posts removed from former locations: Rear 938 Cross street; rear 609 Washington avenue; rear 1410 Lombard street; rear 508 Noble street; rear 518 Wood street; rear 1949 Mascher street; north-west corner Rector and Henry streets; south side Rector street, one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of the curb line of Henry street; rear 173 West Seymour street; rear 4315 Brown street; rear 4331 Brown street; rear 3060 Frankford avenue; rear 3014 Gaul street; rear 2604 South Bouvier street; rear 2646 South Bouvier street; rear 2604 South Colorado street; rear 2646 South Colorado street; rear 2608 South Seventeenth street; rear 2646 South Seventeenth street; rear 3615 Woodland avenue; rear 2645-7 Douglass street; rear 2665 Douglass street; rear 2909 Oxford street; rear 2925 Oxford street; rear 2943 Oxford street; rear 2212 Tagert street; rear 326 East Somerset street; rear 1342 South Twenty-ninth street; rear 2718 North Hollywood street; rear 3009 North Twenty-fourth street; rear 3031 North Twenty-fourth street; rear 3053 North Twenty-fourth street; east side Eighty-sixth street, one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Bartram avenue; east side Eighty-third street, one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet south of Eastwick avenue; rear

Fifteenth street above Courtland street; rear 307 North-east Boulevard; rear 4929 North Sixteenth street; rear east side Sixteenth street, second house south of Wyoming avenue; rear 4515 York road; rear 4531 York road; rear 4547 York road; rear 1216 Erie avenue; on Darien street, rear, between 4413-15 North Ninth street; on Darien street, rear, between 4425-27 North Ninth street; on Darien street, rear, between 4441-43 North Ninth street; rear 1469 North Wilton street; rear 3621 Frankford avenue; rear 2058 East Pacific street; rear 2080 East Pacific street; rear 1858 Westmoreland street; rear 5928 Walnut street; rear 5942 Walnut street; rear 4923 Osage avenue; rear 1528 Ingersoll street; rear 2918 West Allegheny avenue; south of York street, between Sixth and Fairhill streets; rear 104 North Mole street; rear 2724 South Seventeenth street; rear 2725 South Seventeenth street; rear 2724 South Colorado street; rear 2725 South Smedley street.

APPENDIX No. 256.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 26) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom."

Resolved. By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 26) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom."

APPENDIX No. 257.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 193) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property 1217-1239 Callowhill street."

Resolved By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 193) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property 1217-1239 Callowhill street."

APPENDIX No. 258.

RESOLUTION

To confirm lease of office for the Bureau of Surveys, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, The ordinance approved May 23, 1878, requires the confirmation of Councils to all leases of property rented by any Department of the City; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the lease of the two second floor front office rooms of properties No. 831 and 833 North Broad street, for the purpose of an office for the Fourth Survey District, Bureau of Surveys, Department of Public Works, at a rental of seventy-five (75) per

month, be and the same is hereby confirmed, the said lease to date as of January 1, 1917, for a period of one year.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 259.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) to have printed all specifications, proposals and other forms necessary for the receiving of bids for construction work under the charge of the Bureau, and authorizing the City Controller to pay bills for such work out of construction items, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, *By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia*, That the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) be, and is hereby authorized to have printed all specifications, proposals and other forms necessary for the receiving of bids for construction work under the charge of the Bureau.

Resolved, That the City Controller be, and is hereby authorized to pay bills for such work out of the items for construction work in the appropriation to the Bureau of Surveys.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 260.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request, by resolution of even date, I have the honor to return to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 26, entitled:

“An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Anderson street to its full width, from Gorgas lane to a point about one hundred and fifty feet northwest therefrom.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 261.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 7, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request, by resolution of even date, I have the honor to return to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 193, entitled:

“An Ordinance to permit the National Metal Edge Box Company to erect two metal and glass awnings over the sidewalk in front of their property, 1217-1239 Callowhill street.”

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 262.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 231, entitled:

“An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain loan funds in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Transit, Supplies, Board of Recreation, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, and Receiver of Taxes, for the year 1916,”

with my approval, except for the following items:

“SECTION 1. Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Item 5 (b) (200 loan), labor, etc., fifty-seven thousand five hundred and eighty-six (57,586) dollars and twelve (12) cents.”

I approve the above item in the sum of fifty-five thousand six hundred and eighty-six (55,686) dollars and twelve (12) cents, and withhold my approval from one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars, the balance thereof; thereby eliminating the one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars transferred from Department of Supplies (Electrical), Item 40 (200 loan), furniture, etc.

“SECT. 2. Department of Supplies (Water), Item 21 (c) (200 loan), fuel, etc., fifty-five thousand two hundred and thirty (55,230) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents.”

I approve this item in the sum of thirty-four thousand three hundred and thirty (34,330) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents, and withhold my approval from twenty thousand nine hundred (20,900) dollars, the balance

thereof; thereby eliminating the twenty thousand, nine hundred (20,900) dollars transferred from Department of Supplies (Electrical), Item 39 (200 loan), lumber, etc.

Approval is withheld as above owing to amounts having been duplicated in transferring from the items mentioned.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 263.

Philadelphia, December 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the payment of salaries and wages of employees of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government by the drawing of a single warrant for each payroll, payable to one employee designated by the head of such Department, Bureau, Board or Commission, and directing the City Controller to countersign such payroll warrant upon the furnishing of a satisfactory bond, the cost of which shall be borne by the City,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch’n*), Charles Seger, Elias Abrams, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D’Autrechy, T. J. McCarthy, John F. Flaherty, John H. Baizley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. E. Finley, William H. Quigley, E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, William J. McCloskey, Simon Walter.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the payment of salaries and wages of employees of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government by the drawing of a single warrant for each payroll payable to one employee designated by the head of such Department, Bureau, Board or Commission, and directing the City Controller to countersign such payroll warrant upon the furnishing of a satisfactory bond, the cost of which bond shall be borne by the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the heads of all Departments, Bureaus, Boards and Commissions of the City and County government be, and are hereby authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a single warrant semi-monthly for the total amount of each semi-monthly payroll.

SECT. 2. That such head of every Department, Bureau, Board or Commission be, and is hereby directed to designate one certain employee thereof to whom the semi-monthly warrant for the total amount of each semi-monthly payroll shall be drawn, which warrant the City Controller be, and he is hereby directed to countersign: *Provided*, That each and every employee of the City and County government give a warrant of attorney in favor of the particular employee designated to collect the payroll warrant, empowering him to so collect his or her pay: *And provided*, The employee designated to collect the said payroll warrant has entered a bond of satisfactory form and amount to the City Controller, the cost of said bond to be borne by the City.

SECT. 3. The provision of this ordinance shall become effective January 1, 1917.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 264.

Philadelphia, December 19, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Commissioners, Law and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Joseph P. Gaffney (*Ch'n*), Charles Seger, Elias Abrams, Isaac D. Hetzell, George D'Autrechy, T. J. McCarthy, John F. Flaherty, John H. Baizley, Bernard J. McGuigan, Wm. E. Finley, William H. Quigley, E. Buchholz, C. J. McKinney, William J. McCloskey, Simon Walter.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, City Commissioners, Law and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations, for the year 1916: Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys: From Item 7, salaries, two hundred (200) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Health: From Item 7 (a), salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 8 (a), relief of children, etc., three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars; from Item 16 (a), salaries, five

hundred (500) dollars; from Item 19 (e), repairs to surgical instruments, three hundred and sixty-four (364) dollars. Department of Law: From Item 1 (a), salaries, five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 1 (b), witness fees, one thousand one hundred and fifty (1,150) dollars; from Item 1 (d), expert services, two thousand and fifty-one (2,051) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents. Commissioners of Fairmount Park: From Item 5 (a), salaries, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF SURVEYS.

Item 8 (f). Repairs, etc., two hundred dollars	\$200
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 15 (b). Furniture, etc., five hundred dollars	\$500
Item 17 (a). Supplies, etc., five hundred dollars	500
Item 18 (b). Maintenance, etc., five hundred dollars	500
Item 21 (b). Attendants' payroll, three thousand four hundred and sixty-four dollars	3,464

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Item 1 (d). Expert services, two thousand and fifty-one dollars and ninety-six cents	\$2,051 96
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Provided, That the City Solicitor be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants to pay for the services of assistants employed for the purpose of facilitating the filing system and other services.

Item 2. Advertising, etc., nine hundred dollars	900
Item 3 (a). Stationery, etc., seven hundred and fifty dollars	750

COMMISSIONERS OF FAIRMOUNT PARK.

Item 8 (b). Various maintenance work, one thousand two hundred dollars	\$1,200
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SECT. 2. The City Controller is also hereby authorized to make the following transfers of certain loan moneys in the annual appropriations for the year 1916: Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police: From Item 3 (200 loan), salaries, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents. Department of Public Health and Charities, Bureau of Health: From Item 7 (b) (200 loan), wages, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; from Item 16 (b) (200 loan), salaries and wages, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 5 (c) (200 loan), jurors' fees, three hundred and eighty-five (385) dollars, to the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

BUREAU OF POLICE.

Item 3 (200 loan). To pay quarantine guards, six dollars and seventy-five cents..	\$6 75
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

BUREAU OF CHARITIES.

Item 21 (b) (200 loan). Attendants' payroll, four thousand five hundred and thirty-six dollars	\$4,536
Item 27 (a) (200 loan). Repairs, etc., two hundred and sixty-four dollars	264
Item 29 (a) (200 loan). Medicines, etc., two thousand two hundred dollars	2,200

CITY COMMISSIONERS.

Item	(200 loan). To pay bill of M. J. Heavey, repairs, etc., Room 653, three hundred and eighty-five dollars	\$385
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APPENDIX No. 265.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, H. Edgar Barnes, George E. Dorwart, Wm. Boal, Chas. Seger, John Costello, Geo. Connell, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. C. Williams, Wm. D. Bacon.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of certain streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: A street, from Ruscomb street to The Boulevard; Annsbury street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Brown street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; Cottman street, from P. & R. R. cut-off to Oxford avenue; Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Curtin street, from Sixteenth to Nineteenth street; Ditman street, from Dever-

eaux street to Robbins avenue; East Johnson street, from Chew street to Bellfield avenue and Bellfield avenue, from East Johnson to Upsal street; Fifteenth street, from Nedro avenue to Champlost avenue; Forty-seventh street, from Aspen to Brown street; Front street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Homer street, from Washington lane to Duval street; Jackson street, from Devereaux street to Robbins avenue; Johnston street, from Eighteenth to Twentieth street; Magnolia street, from Washington lane to Duval street; Marsden street, from Magee to Hellerman street, and from Devereaux street to Robbins avenue; Marshall street, from Cayuga to Wingohocking street; Packer street, from Broad to Twentieth street; Sixth street, from Cayuga to Annshury street; Seventh street, from Bristol to Cayuga street, and from Courtland street to The Boulevard; Sixty-fourth street, from Lebanon to Malvern avenue; Simpson street, from Lansdowne to Lebanon avenue; St. Vincent street, from the northwest side of Rising Sun avenue to property line about sixty-three (63) feet six (6) inches northwest of Oakley street; Twentieth street, from Johnston street to Moyamensing avenue; Wilmot street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Windsor street, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; north sidewalk of Allegheny avenue, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street; Moyamensing avenue, from Broad to Twentieth street; McKean Parkway, from Twenty-eighth street to University avenue, and University avenue, from McKean Parkway to Dickinson street; Widener Place, from York road to Ogontz avenue; and Church lane, from Limekiln Pike to Ogontz avenue.

The cost of said work to be taken from the grading items in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Highways. In all cases where the material required to excavate or fill any legally opened street within six blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract: *Provided*, That the grading shall be ad-

vertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 266.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to grant permission to the Estate of P. A. B. Widener to erect a steel and glass awning or marquee in front of and at entrance of the Arcadia Cafe, east of Broad street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, H. Edgar Barnes, George E. Dorwart, Wm. Boal, Chas. Seger, John Costello, Geo. Connell, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. C. Williams, Wm. D. Bacon.

AN ORDINANCE

To grant permission to the Estate of P. A. B. Widener to erect a steel and glass awning or marquee in front of and at entrance to the Arcadia Cafe, east of Broad street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the Estate of P. A. B. Widener to erect, over and across the footwalk in front of the entrance to the Arcadia Cafe, east of Broad street, an awning or marquee, to be constructed of steel and iron frames, covered with ornamental galvanized iron and wired glass,

the same to extend over the building line to the curb line, not exceeding fifteen (15) feet in width, with a clearance of at least eleven feet over and across the sidewalk, and with an extreme height not exceeding sixteen (16) feet. Said awning or canopy to be constructed in conformity with the rules and regulations of the Board of Highway Supervisors and the Art Jury, after permit has been issued by the said Board, and shall be completed and in all respects satisfactory to the Department of Public Works. Said awning or marquee to be removed at any time upon the passage of an ordinance or resolution to that effect, and the said Estate of P. A. B. Widener shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the printing of this ordinance.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 267.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads,’ approved July 31, 1916,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Wm. J. Harrington, Thomas S. T. Mackleer, H. Edgar Barnes, George E. Dorwart, Wm. Boal, Chas. Seger, John Costello, Geo. Connell, Frank J. Ryan, Wm. C. Williams, Wm. D. Bacon, Harry F. Kennedy.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads," approved July 31, 1916.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the improving of certain country roads," approved July 31, 1916, be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end of Section 1 the following words: "Vandike street, from Benner to Conly street; Higbee street, from Torresdale avenue to Vandike street; Cottman street, from P. & R. R. cut-off to Oxford avenue; Byberry road, from Bustleton pike to the County line; Scotts lane, from Ridge avenue to Cresson street; Lincoln drive, from Allens lane to the Park line; McKean street, from Water street to Delaware avenue. The cost of said work to be taken from any item for the improvement of country roads in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): *Provided*, That no part of the money in said item shall be used otherwise than to improve the streets and roads herein named substantially upon the present lines and the present physical grades, except for sufficient grading to secure an even surface: *Provided, also*, That the property owners shall not be released from paying for paving the above streets and roads when same may be directed to be paved by an ordinance of Councils."

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 268.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to

authorize the construction of sewers in Atlantic, Belmar, Blaine, Chew, Courtland, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Fifth, Front, Granite, Gratz, Haddington, Hall, Hancock, Hollywood, Howard, Lambert, Lawrence, Loudon, Marsden, Marshall, Mascher, Mitchell, Myrtlewood, Oaklyn, Palethorpe, Percy, Peters, Quince, Randolph, Reese, Roy, Sixth, Sixty-fourth, Sydenham, Thirteenth, Twenty-eighth, Water, Wendover, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Windsor and Yocum streets; Greenway, Oregon, Schuylkill, Sixty-sixth avenue north; The Boulevard; State, Westford and York roads," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelson, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D'Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers in Atlantic, Belmar, Blaine, Chew, Courtland, Eighteenth, Fairhill, Fifth, Front, Granite, Gratz, Haddington, Hall, Hancock, Hollywood, Howard, Lambert, Lawrence, Loudon, Marsden, Marshall, Mascher, Mitchell, Myrtlewood, Oaklyn, Palethorpe, Percy, Peters, Quince, Randolph, Reese, Roy, Sixth, Sixty-fourth, Sydenham, Thirteenth, Twenty-eighth, Water, Wendover, Woodlawn, Woodstock, Windsor, and Yocum streets; Greenway, Oregon, Schuylkill, Sixty-sixth avenue north; The Boulevard; State, Westford and York roads.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in Atlantic street, from Mascher to Palethorpe street; Belmar street, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Blaine street, from Twentieth street to Hunting Park avenue; Chew street, from Sixteenth

to Hicks street; Courtland street, from Sixth to Seventh street; Eighteenth street, from Johnston street to Moyamensing avenue; Fairhill street, from Glenwood avenue to P. R. R.; Fifth street, west side, from Grange to Nedro avenue; Front street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Granite street, from Torresdale avenue to Ditman street; Gratz street, from a point about one hundred feet north of Godfrey avenue to Medary avenue; Haddington street, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-fifth street; Hall street, from Tenth to Clifton street; Hancock street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Hollywood street, from Norris street to Sedgley avenue; Howard street, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Lambert street, from Spencer street to Godfrey avenue; Lawrence street, from Ruscomb to Rockland street; Loudon street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Marsden street, from Magee to Hellerman street; Marshall street, from Bristol to Cayuga street; Mascher street, from Tioga street to Glenwood avenue; Mitchell street, from Rector street to Roxborough avenue; from Ridge avenue to Markle street and from Kingsley to Pensdale street; Myrtlewood street, from Norris street to Sedgley avenue; Oaklyn street, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Palethorpe street, from Tioga street to Glenwood avenue; Percy street, from Snyder avenue to Emily street; Peters street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street; Quince street, from Lombard to Waverly street; Randolph street, from Glenwood avenue to P. R. R.; Reese street, from Glenwood avenue to P. R. R.; Roy street, from Eleventh street to Germantown avenue; Sixth street, from Loudon to Rockland street, and from Jackson street to Moyamensing avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Jefferson street to Lebanon avenue; Sydenham street, from Sixty-eighth avenue north to Haines street; Thirteenth street (reconstructed), from Sansom to Walnut street; Twenty-eighth street, from Chalmers avenue to Clearfield street; Water street, from Tabor street to Clarkson avenue; Wendover street, from Apple to Tower street; Woodlawn street, from Ardleigh to Sprague street; Woodstock street, from Godfrey to Spencer avenue; Windsor street, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Yocum street, from Gross to Sixty-third street; Green-

way avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street; Oregon avenue, south side, from Cleveland to Nineteenth street; Schuylkill avenue, from Alter to Peltz street, and in Peltz street from Schuylkill avenue to Grays Ferry avenue; Sixty-sixth avenue north, from Limekiln Turnpike to a point about three hundred feet west of Limekiln Turnpike; The Boulevard, east side, from Palethorpe to Mascher street; State road, from St. Vincent to Princeton street; Westford road, from Marwood to Geneva avenue; York road, from Oak lane to Cheltenham avenue.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise, according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above authorized, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of the said contracts that the contractors shall accept the sums assessed upon the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above the said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, shall be charged to any item for the construction of branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, That in all cases where the property on the lines of the sewers herein authorized is assessed at suburban rates the owners of property shall first file an agreement to pay the regular frontage charges: *Provided, further*, That the owners of property in the unopened portions of Schuylkill avenue and Peltz street, through which sewer shall pass, shall first file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against any claims for damages by reason of the construction of sewer: *And provided*, That only the open portion of Peltz street on the south side shall be assessed: *And provided further*, That before sewer is constructed in said Marsden street, said street shall be dedicated and the property owners agree to pay assessment bills.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to pay for inspections, borings and expenses incidental to the work of constructing said branch sewers from the item for construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 269.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Allengrove, Belmar, Blair, Elkins, Hancock, Howard, Lambert, Mole, Napa, Oaklyn, Pentridge, Ridgewood, Shelborne, Titan, Trinity, Windsor, Wingohocking, Wishart, Woodstock, West Ashmead Place and Widener Place," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D'Antrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan Allengrove, Avondale, Belmar, Blair, Elkins, Hancock, Howard, Lambert, Mole, Napa, Oaklyn, Para, Pentridge, Ridgewood, Shelborne, Titan, Trinity, Windsor, Wingohocking, Wishart, Woodstock, West Ashmead Place and Widener Place.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to place on the City plan Allengrove street, of the width of fifty feet, from Horrocks to Large street, Avondale street, of the width of fifty feet, from Trinity to Windsor street; Belmar street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and from Sixty-fifth to Avondale street; Blair street, of the width of thirty-four feet, from Berks to Hewson street; Elkins street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Wister street to Olney

avenue; Hancock street, of the width of forty feet, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Howard street, of the width of forty feet, from Shunk street to Oregon avenue; Lambert street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Stenton to Sixty-sixth avenue north, and of the width of forty feet from Snyder to Passyunk avenue; Mole street, of the width of forty feet, from Oregon to Moyamensing avenue; Napa street, of the width of twenty-five feet, from Hamilton to Spring Garden street; Oaklyn street, of the width of fifty feet, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Para street, of the width of forty-five feet, from Ardleigh street to Cresheim Valley Drive; Pentridge street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-seventh street; Ridgewood street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-seventh street; Shelborne street, of the width of fifty feet, from Princeton to Tyson street; Titan street, of the width of thirty feet, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Trinity street, of the width of fifty feet, from Sixty-fifth to Avondale street; Windsor street, of the width of forty feet, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and of the width of fifty feet from Sixty-fifth to Avondale street; Wingohocking street, of the width of fifty feet, from Fifth to Fairhill street; Wishart street, of the width of forty feet, from B to Ella street; Woodstock street, of the width of forty feet, from Snyder to Passyunk avenue; West Ashmead Place, of the width of fifty-four feet and forty feet, from Germantown avenue to Greene street; and Widener Place, of the width of eighty-four feet, from Ogontz avenue to Fifteenth street, and of the width of fifty-four feet, from Fifteenth street to Old York road: *Provided*, That before said streets, except Blair, Napa and Titan streets, shall be placed on the City plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the date of the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades; and before said Napa and

Titan streets shall be placed upon the City plan, satisfactory evidence shall be produced that they have been opened and in public use for a period of twenty-one years: *Provided further*, That the ordinance of Councils approved April 2, 1906, regulating the width of streets shall not apply to the said Blair street.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed .

APPENDIX No. 270.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the placing on the City plan Newkirk, Dover, Willard streets and a Neighborhood Square, bounded by Willard street, Newkirk street and Hunting Park avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelson, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the placing on the City plan Newkirk, Dover, Willard streets, and a Neighborhood Square bounded by Willard street, Newkirk street and Hunting Park avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to place upon the City plan Newkirk street, of the width of forty feet, from Allegheny avenue to Hunting Park avenue; Dover street, of the width of forty feet, from Allegheny avenue to Willard street; Willard street, of the width of forty feet, from Newkirk street to Hunting Park avenue, and a Neighborhood Square, bounded by Willard street, Newkirk street and Hunting Park avenue: *Provided*, That before the said streets and the Neighborhood Square shall be placed upon the City plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the said streets to the City and convey to the City in fee simple the Neighborhood Square bounded by Newkirk street, Willard street and Hunting Park avenue.

APPENDIX No. 271.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Roberts avenue, from Pulaski to Wissahickon avenue,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same. There will be no damages. We therefore return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation, and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D’Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Roberts avenue, from Pulaski to Wissahickon avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Roberts avenue, from Pulaski to Wissahickon avenue.

APPENDIX No. 272.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the widening of Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-fourth street to Daggett street, to a width of ninety feet, by placing the same upon the City plan, with a grass plot in the center of Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-sixth street, and to make the necessary revision of grades,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelson, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D'Autrechy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the widening of Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-fourth street to Daggett street, to a width of 90 feet, by placing the same upon the City plan, with a grass plot

in the center of Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-sixth street, and to make the necessary revision of grades.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to widen Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-fourth street to Daggett street to a width of 90 feet, by placing the same upon the City plan, with a grass plot in the center of Lebanon avenue, from Wynnewood road to Sixty-sixth street, and to make the necessary revision of grades: *Provided*, That before the said plan is confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, the owners of property dedicate to the City within one year the land necessary for the widening of the said street.

APPENDIX No. 273.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to widen Morris street, from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway to sixty feet, by adding ten feet to the south side,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Charles F. Kelley (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, L. C. Michaelsen, Wm. J. Harrington, Harry Keene, H. Edgar Barnes, Daniel Cahill, Wm. Boal, Geo. Mitchell, J. H. Shaw, John L. Dougherty, W. W. Weaver, Wm. H. Cross, George D’Autreehy.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the widening of Morris street, from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway, to sixty feet.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to widen Morris street, from Twenty-eighth street to University Parkway, to sixty feet, by adding ten feet to the south side: *Provided*, That before said widening shall be placed upon the City plan, the owners of property within the lines of Morris street, sixty feet wide, shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the bed of the same to the City, on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing the said widening on the plan and its subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades

APPENDIX No. 274.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street."

Resolved, *By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia*, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164, Vol. I) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street."

APPENDIX No. 275.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635 and 3637 Germantown avenue."

APPENDIX No. 276.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the payment of the expenses of transportation of officials of the Pennsylvania State Grange to the Annual Convention, December 12-15, 1916, out of the appropriation to the Mayor for official entertaining, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized and requested to pay the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars for transportation of the officials of the Pennsylvania State Grange to the Annual Convention, December 12-15, 1916, out of the appropriation to him to Item No. 4, for official entertaining, and to draw a warrant or warrants therefor to Frank P. Willets, Treasurer of the Pennsylvania State Grange, which warrant or war-

rants the City Controller is authorized and directed to countersign and the City Treasurer to pay.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 277.

Philadelphia, December 1, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance of May 7, 1857, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance Fund of the City of Philadelphia respectfully present their report for the quarter ending September 30, 1916:

SINKING FUND.

Receipts.

June 30, 1916, to cash balance		\$3,076,154 25
To third quarterly appropriation, 1916.....	\$1,904,047 42	
To balance of interest on temporary loan	2,400 00	1,906,447 42
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		\$4,982,601 67

Expenditures.

By loans purchased....	\$1,637,110 30	
By unclaimed interest..	47 75	1,637,158 05
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Cash balance September 30, 1916		\$3,345,443 62
Par value of City Securities in Sinking Fund		24,339,800 00
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Total cash and investments		\$27,685,243 62

FIRE INSURANCE FUND.

Receipts.

June 30, 1916, to cash balance.....	\$73,035 25
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Expenditures.

By account "Old Piggery"		
fire, November 12, 1913	\$282 49	
By account House of Correction Laundry fire, May		
27, 1914	25 55	
By account Race Street Pier		
fire, December 24, 1915.	5,180 00	
By account Sixth District		
Police Station fire, March		
27, 1916	143 00	5,631 04
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Cash balance September 30, 1916....		\$67,404 21
Par value of City securities in Fire		
Insurance Fund		426,500 00
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Total cash and investments		\$493,904 21

Respectfully submitted,

E. T. STOTESBURY,
JNO. M. WALTON,
THOMAS B. SMITH.

*Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and Fire Insurance
Fund of the City of Philadelphia.*

APPENDIX No. 278.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request, by resolution of even date, I beg to return to you herewith

Common Council Ordinance No. 164, Vol. I, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street."

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 279.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1916.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your request by resolution of even date, I am returning to you herewith Common Council Ordinance No. 141 entitled "An Ordinance to permit Starr & Moss to erect and maintain a clock on sidewalk in front of premises 3635-3637 Germantown avenue."

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS B. SMITH,
Mayor.

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